THE WEATHER.

Fair in the interior, unsettled on the coast Sunday; Monday fair; moderate northeast winds.

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PRESIDENT TAFT IN A QUANDARY

Doesn't Know Whether He Can Vote in His Home Town or Not.

HE HAD FAILED TO REGISTER

Makes Out Papers and Sends Them Home, But is Notified That He Failed to Have Proper Affidavit.

Chicago, Oct. 28.—President Taft who frequently refers to himself as the "Titular head of the Republican party," was in a quandary tonight. The President does not know whether he is a qualified voter any more. He doesn't know whether the election authorities in Cincinnati, his home city, intend to let him cast a ballot in the city elections next Tuesday. More than two weeks ago, Mr. Taft made out his registration papers, mailed them from the Pacific coast and thought no more about the matter. A few days later the President was notified by the Cincinnati election board that he had failed to have the proper affidavit made out to accompany the papers.

At New Castle, Wyo., where the guest of Congressman Mondell, the President worked until late night making out the new papers and the necessary affidavit. The mails from New Castle that night carried the papers to Cincinnati.

Today Secretary Hilles was notified, evidently on good authority, that the President had failed to register properly in time and Mr. Taft took up his day in Chicago convinced that while he might visit Cincinnati on election day he could not vote.

Later in the day word came from Cincinnati that the whole matter had been put up to Secretary of State Graves, of Ohio, and that it was not definitely settled. Tonight Mr. Taft is wondering what will be the outcome. He is going to Cincinnati anyhow, but he would like to vote if possible.

President Taft spent a busy day in Chicago. He spoke to the American Mining Congress in the morning, endorsing the speech made by Secretary of the Interior Fisher here last night; told the members of the Chicago Bar Association that he was and expected always to be opposed to the recall of the judiciary; rode 60 miles by special train to dedicate the new naval training station at North Chicago and tonight addressed the Chicago Association of Commerce on peace and arbitration. The President came near politics once today. That was when he spoke to the Chicago Bar Association. Without using his name, Mr. Taft referred to the remarks of United States Senator Clapp, of Minnesota, in this city recently, in which the President's veto of the Arizona-New Mexico Statehood bill was called "the blackest act of tyranny ever committed on a free people."

"I knew I was guilty of a good deal," the President said, "but I never knew I was guilty of conduct that could be described by such lurid terms. I was determined that when a new State entered the Union it should start with a knowledge of some things. I was convinced that it should start with a proper appreciation of the independence of the judiciary. The people of that State may not be convinced yet, but at least they know what I think. Congress has approved my action, for once, and has gone further. It has passed a law directing—and this is really more like an act of blackest tyranny—the people to take back their ideas about the judiciary.

"I am a lawyer and a judge and if I had acted differently from the way I did I would have been unworthy of either title."

"While the judges here do not measure up to the high standard of elsewhere," said the President, "still the record of the American bench as a whole is high. What defects there are, are due not to the weakness of the judges, but to the weakness of the people. I sometimes think that the socialists and anarchists and the discontented ought to hire a lawyer to pick out flaws in the system to attack."

At the naval training station the President watched for half an hour a drill by several hundred student sailors. The men who will man the American battleships later performed the "setting up" exercise; showed how they wigwag from one ship to another at sea and marched in review before the President. In the wigwag drill each student pulled a red or white or yellow flag from somewhere and when they began waving them in unison to make the letters of the alphabet the crowd of several thousand persons burst into an enthusiastic cheer.

PISTOLS WILL BE USED.

In the Supreme Court of the United States.

Washington, Oct. 28.—Pistols doubtless will be used in the Supreme Court of the United States, if the court acts favorably upon a request to review a case presented to the tribunal today in printed form. It involves the validity of a patent for an automatic pistol. In making the application for the review the Colts patent fire arms manufacturing company forwarded to the court some pistols to illustrate the points in controversy.

POPE CAUSES MUCH SURPRISE IN ROME

By Announcement of Consistory and Names to be Elevated to Cardinalte.

LIST OF PRELATES ELEVATED

Most Revs. John M. Farley, of New York, and William O'Connell, of Boston, Will Receive Red Hat

Rome, Oct. 28.—The Pope will create a large number of cardinals at the Consistory to be held November 27th.

The Most Rev. John M. Farley, archbishop of New York, and the Most Rev. William O'Connell, archbishop of Boston, are among those who will receive the red hat. Mgr Diomede Falconi, apostolic delegate at Washington, also will be elevated, according to the announcement made today. The full list of prelates whose elevation to the Cardinalte as officially announced is:

Mgr S. M. Cosy Macho, archbishop of Valladolid.

Mgr Diomede Falconio, apostolic delegate at Washington.

Mgr A. Vco, papal nuncio at Madrid.

Mgr J. Granite de Belmont Pignelli, ex-papal nuncio at Vienna.

The Most Rev. John M. Farley, archbishop of New York.

The Most Rev. Francis Bourne, archbishop of Westminster.

The Most Rev. Francis S. Bauer, archbishop of Olmuetz.

Mgr L. A. Amiette, archbishop of Paris.

The Most Rev. William O'Connell, archbishop of Boston.

Mgr F. V. DuBillard, archbishop of Chambrey.

The Most Rev. Franz X. Nagel, archbishop of Vienna.

Mgr DeCabrier, bishop of Montpellier (Franne).

Mgr Bisleti, papal major domo.

Mgr Lugari, assessor of the Holy office.

Mgr Pompell, secretary of the congregation council.

Mgr Billot of the Jesuit order.

Mgr Van Rossum, redeptionist.

The last Consistory was held in December, 1907, four cardinals being appointed at that time. Since then many vacancies have occurred in the sacred college by death and now there are twenty occurred in the sacred college by death and now there are twenty-two seats of the total of seventy unfilled.

Since 1907 the intention to hold a Consistory has been announced from time to time but on each occasion, the convocation has been postponed for various causes.

The question of the appointment of another American cardinal has been under discussion a number of times, but on one occasion it was stated that the Pope adhered to his opinion that the United States should not have more than one cardinal during the life of Cardinal Gibbons.

The proposed Consistory in November will be the fifth held by Pope Pius X. On the death of Leo XIII there were 64 cardinals. During the last eight years Pius X has created 41 new cardinals, of whom two have died. Thirty of the cardinals who took part in the election of Cardinal Sarto to Pope Pius X also had died.

Both the announcement of a Consistory and the names of those who are to be elevated to the cardinale caused much surprise. The intentions of the Pope were kept entirely secret, the general absorption in the war aiding materially in maintaining the secrecy.

The selection of the new cardinals is the subject of interesting comment, owing chiefly to the recognition the United States has received. Archbishop Farley's elevator has caused a general excellent impression, as besides his eminent qualities, he is head of one of the most important Catholic centers of the world.

Archbishop O'Connell, who is very popular in Rome, is the youngest among the new cardinals.

It is stated that soon the American cardinals will be further increased so as to give the West a representative in the Senate of the church.

For the first time since the rupture with France Cardinals have been selected from that country. The four named added to the three already existing make a full compliment for France. Portugal on the other hand, has not been recognized Mgr Mendes Bello patriarch of Lisbon, having failed to receive the red hat, indicating that the Pope considers that the rupture of the concordal with that country must have a retroactive effect.

Mgr J. Tonti papal nuncio at Lisbon also has been passed over, Mgr Vico papal nucio at Madrid and Mgr Granito papal nucio at Vienna have been honored.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 28.—Joe Rivers, the Los Angeles featherweight, defeated George Kirkwood, of St. Louis in the eighth round of their scheduled 20-round bout at Vernon today. Referee Charles Eyton stopped the fight and Rivers was given credit for a knockout.

Don't scratch and rub when your eyes itch, smart, burn or ache—there is something needed besides a rub. Local irritation is often caused by eye defects which can be remedied with proper lenses. Eyes examined free. Dr. Vineberg, Masonic Temple. **

AN OBJECTION TO THE ABBREVIATED SKIRT.

IMPERIAL FAMILY TO FLEE

From the Capital of China—Report of Imperialist Victory Revives the Drooping Administration—Financial Groups.

Peking, Oct. 28.—The report of an imperialist victory in the vicinity of Hankow, which has been received from the Minister of War, Gen. Yin Tchang, revived the drooping spirits of the administration. Additional comfort has been found in the conclusion of a loan agreement which Chinese officials say has just been arranged with a Belgian syndicate having French and British connections. The loan is for $18,000,000, the price being 96, with 6 per cent. interest. The syndicate receives 4 per cent. commission.

The financial groups representing the four nations interested in the railway loan, the United States, Great Britain, France and Germany, took under advisement a proposition for a loan of $8,000,000, but the United States financiers decided that the present was an inopportune moment. This afternoon the diplomatic body held a meeting and considered the request of the viceroy of the province of Chi-Li for permission to police Tien Tsin with troops, which is contrary to the international protocol of 1902. The ministers, however, decided to permit the viceroy to do so, owing to the serious conditions prevailing. The ministers decided also to authorize the consuls at Hankow to deal temporarily with all questions cropping up, but the seizure of foreign ships carrying anything which may be called contraband of war, as threatened by the rebel leader, Gen. Li Yuan Heng, cannot be permitted.

Regarding the appeal of Shanghai business men through the consuls that a 30-mile zone around Shanghai be declared neutral, the ministers decline to assent, on the ground that it was a matter for decision by the powers.

Panic prevails at Peking. Both Manchu and Chinese families are taking precautionary measures against immediate disturbances. The Chinese are alarmed owing to a report that the Manchu garrison intends to begin a massacre if it meets with reverses at the hands of the rebels in the South. The Manchus are said also to fear a massacre, on the part of the Chinese. Both continue to desert the capital. All trains are crowded and the foreign banks are receiving deposits and lumps of silver and gold. Foreign business houses within the legation quarters are receiving treasure chests for safe keeping at high rates of storage.

A fortnight ago when the govern-

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OUTLINES.

Prosecution in the McRee case, at Oplouses, La., says that Mrs. McRee planned the killing of young Garland. Several important witnesses examined——Reports state that the Imperial family of China are making preparations to flee from the country——Third week of famous McNamara trial at Los Angeles ends with strong possibilities that counsel will again appeal for a different judge, which was refused some time ago——Reported uprising in Honduras, although facts are meagre. Two skirmishes between Insurgents and Government troops——Attorney General Wickersham goes to New York to attend the hearing of the American Tobacco Co.'s dissolution plan——Grand jury in the case of Rev. Richeson, accused of killing Miss Linnell will have to sit for several days next week hearing evidence.

New York markets: Money on call nominal, time loans easier, sixty days 3 1-4, and ninety days 3 1-2 to 3 3-4; spot cotton closed dull 5 points lower, middling uplands 9.45, middling gulf 9.70; rosin firm, turpentine firm; flour quiet; wheat spot steady No. 2, red 99 1-2, elevator export basis and 1.00 fob afloat; corn spot steady, No. 2 corn exports 80c nominal fob afloat. options nominal.

SENDS BRIEF TO WASHINGTON

George Fred Williams, of Boston, Calls Upon Supreme Court—Asks Permission to File Brief Next Week.

Washington, Oct. 28.—In the name of the States of California, Arkansas, Colorado, South Dakota, and Nebraska, George Fred Williams, of Boston, today sent to Washington a brief calling upon the Supreme Court of the United States to hold constitutional the initiative and referendum method of legislation adopted by Oregon. Next week he expects to ask the court for permission to file it on behalf of these States, when the Oregon case, involving the constitutionality of the method comes up for oral argument before the court.

Imperfect political conditions in this country has led for a demand for the initiative and referendum method of legislation, Mr. Williams informs the court. He speaks of the demand for it as a part of the "reaction against the control privilege."

The present movement constitutes the most momentous political revolution in our history," Mr. Williams declares, "conducted without bloodshed and even without acrimonious political contests."

The attorney for the States says that political organizations have not been responsive to popular will; selection of "good men" to office has failed; party platforms are not regarded as pledges; the people are unable to trust their servants.

Mr. Williams declares that the initiative and referendum does not interfere with the "republican form of government," which the Federal constitution guarantees to every State. He argues that Oregon has a republican form of government, whether the people legislate by direct or indirect methods. If then it has not, he says, only the State and not the citizens can complain.

"The sovereignty of the people being conceded, the claim that the law making power can only be exercised through delegates has a fair parallel," says Mr. Williams, "in the reasoning of the chambermaid who insisted upon hanging away a picture of the leaning tower of Pisa and explained that she could only get the tower to hang straight by hanging the picture cooked." He adds that a government does not cease to be a republic when the people refuse to delegate all their sovereign power of legislation to agents.

He concludes by saying that the people of Oregon have not been disappointed in the direct exercise of their sovereign functions. Nine other States have followed in their footsteps, he points out. "The people are fit to govern themselves; and are justifying the confidence and injunction of the martyred Lincoln."

JOHN W. FOSTER SUBPOENAED.

To Appear Before Hamlin Congressional Committee.

Washington, Oct. 28.—John W. Foster, former Secretary of State, was today subpoenaed to appear before the Hamlin Congressional Committee on Expenditures in the State Department to testify regarding the payment of $368,000 from the Boxer indemnity funds to the estate of Gen. F. D. Ward, killed in China in 1862. At the request of former Secretary Foster, Chairman Hamlin arranged the first meeting of the committee for next Tuesday instead of Monday.

PRESIDENT IN RICHMOND

Will be Guest of Richmond Chapter of Alumni of U. of V.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 28.—It is learned on the best authority that President Taft, who is to be here in order to address the National Highway Association November 20th, will also be the guest the evening of that day of the Richmond chapter of alumni of the University of Virginia, and will address that body on the occasion referred to. The alumni gathering will be at the commonwealth club.

MRS. M'REE PLANNED KILLING

Of Allan Thurman Garland—So States the Prosecution Which Closed Direction Evidence On Yesterday

Oplouses, La., Oct. 28.—The prosecution closed its direction evidence late this afternoon in the case of Mrs. Zee Runge McRee, charged with the murder of young Allan Thurman Garland in her home here seven weeks ago.

Court adjourned until Monday morning.

Only two days of the first week of the trial were devoted to the taking of evidence, the first four days being consumed in securing a jury. It is expected the trial will last all next week. Counsel for the defendant late this afternoon boldly challenged the prosecution to attack the character of Mrs. McRee. This announcement by Judge Hunter, of counsel for the defense, followed an objection to a line of questioning which served to interrupt the initial effort of the prosecution to show undue intimacy between the prisoner and Allan Garland.

Mary Boswell, an old negro woman, was on the stand. She was telling of a visit to her place on the Plaisance road, three miles from the Garland home, of Mrs. McRee and the deceased. Mrs. McRee, she testified had on a previous visit told her she would bring a young man with her the next time she came out.

"Well, what did they do while they were at your place?"

"I didn't notice them very much, I was too busy 'tending to my potato vines."

At this point counsel for the defense objected to the line of questioning on the ground that the testimony was not relevant at this stage of the proceedings. The witness was excused but probably will be introduced in rebuttal.

Among witnesses introduced this afternoon were Miss Laura Amy, a neighbor of the McRees', August Amy, a carpenter, and Joseph Stelly. The former said after the three shots were fired in the McRee home, all in rapid succession, Mrs. McRee came over to her house and asked for a drink of whiskey, saying she felt faint.

Miss Amy's most important testimony was in reference to an engagement made the day previous to the killing by Mrs. McRee to go to town the following morning with witness and do some shoping.

"Mrs. McRee came over to my house that day (the day of the killing) about 7 o'clock. She said she was busy and couldn't go to town and that I could go with her boy."

The prosecution will argue that the defendant planned to kill Allan Garland that morning, which accounted for her cancelling the engagement with Miss Amy.

Witness said she had seen Allan at Mrs. McRee's house one time.

Joseph Stelly and August Amy testified that they saw Allan Garland in the McRee home sitting down in the same room with the defendant two days before the killing. Stelly said he had seen Mrs. McRee and the deceased together in a wagon several times.

DIES FROM EFFECTS OF GAME.

Women's Club of Montana Declare Sport on Plane With Bull Fighting.

Helena, Mont., Oct. 28.—Charles Lange died today from the spinal injuries he received by a kick in the neck three weeks ago in a practice game of football.

While he was dying the Woman's Club, of which Lange's mother is president, was adopting resolutions declaring football to be "on a plane with pugilism and bull fighting and as dangerous as war," and asking the cooperation of the Women's Clubs of the State to abolish the sport.

Who has the largest stock of draperies in the city? Don't all speak at once. **

WOODROW WILSON AT THE TEXAS FAIR

Delivered Political Address to Great Gathering at Dallas Yesterday.

THE DEMOCRATIC OUTLOOK

A Year Hence is a Certainty—Party of the Real Progressives—Issue With Monetary Commission.

Dallas, Texas, Oct. 28.—Governor Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, today declared Democratic success in the elections of next year a certainty, described the party as controlled by the real progressives of the country, and urged that if the Democrats acted wisely a large part of the Progressive Republican vote might be gained.

Governor Wilson's political talk was at a luncheon which preceded his address at the Texas State Fair where he was the guest of honor this afternoon. Early in the day an hour after his arrival he spoke to several thousand persons at the First Baptist church upon "Life and the Bible." Tonight he delivered an address at Fort Worth and returned to Dallas at night. He will leave early tomorrow for New Jersey to take the stump in the legislative campaign in progress in that State.

Incidental to his political utterances Governor Wilson discussed currency reform briefly and took issue with the National Monetary Commission.

At the fair grounds Governor Wilson said in part:

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I feel very keenly the pleasure and the stimulation of facing this great audience, drawn from so many parts of this imperial State. An audience that represents Texas, represents a great deal of what is characteristic of the force and initiative of modern times. Texas seems, from the first, to have had the capacity and to have obeyed the impulse of a State able to care for its own people, and to look forward to the future in the regulation of its own affairs. All the country recognizes it as one of the most progressive States of the Union, a State where things move forward from measure to measure without vaccillation and without fear.

It is interesting to note in how many matters now occupying the foreground of our thought in America Texas has set a notable example. It was in Texas, for example, that the Commission Form of Government for cities was originated, a reform which has gone so far already towards redeeming our cities from their chaos and misgovernment.

Texas led the way in railroad regulation. Her railway commission was one of the very first that established the method, now accepted everywhere for the determination of the relations between our communities and our public service corporations.

Some of the men who were prominent in these reforms are gone, notably Governor Hogg, who so truly won the affection and confidence of his people; and Senator Reagan, who played so notable a part upon the National as well as upon the local stage in the matter of railway regulation. But Judge Terrell, of Austin, is still among us to receive the tribute of our admiration and gratitude. These men were among the notable pioneers of present day economic and political reform, and it is very delightful, standing here, to pay my tribute of respect and admiration to them.

Texas also undertook, at an unusually early date, the regulation of the issue of stocks and bonds by corrations, particularly by railroad companies, and I understand that the regulations she initiated have resulted very satisfactorily indeed. The people of Texas know whom to follow and what to do under their leadership They have shown themselves enlightened, progressive, confident, capable of achievement. It is such things as these that stimulate the imagination in facing a great company of her representative citizens like that gathered here today.

There was a time, but three or four years ago, when men who stood high in the counsels of the Nation, openly asked the question: "What was to become of the powers of the States?" pressing the inquiry, not because they entertained any jealousy of those powers, but because, apparently, the States were not inclined to exercise them, were lethargic and in different in the presence of conditions which needed thoughtful and effective remedy. But such talk has ceased, the States have asserted themselves, each State is attempting a systematic treatment of its own problems, studying them from the point of view of its own people, and adapting the remedy to the circumstances. Texas led the way in this renaissance of the functions of the States, but all the country is now quick with the new life and America is beginning once again to realize the happy circumstance that our diversified conditions can be met without any futile attempt to apply a too uniform remedy. Our States are our testing grounds, and they have full power and authority to make trial of the remedies which commend themselves to them. In many things it is desirable, nay imperative, that we should co-operate

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FAST FOOT BALL IN MANY CITIES

Many Leading Colleges Wrestled for Supremacy on Gridirons Yesterday.

A. & M. WINS FROM TENNESSEE

Harvard Wins Over Brown and Yale Defeats Colgate—Many Southern Universities Fight It Out

(Special Star Telegram)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 28.—The A. & M. won another victory today against a new foe—the University of Tennessee, the score being 16 to nothing. The Tennesseeans were worthy opponents and although from the first it was seen that A. & M. would win, they fought and fought gamely to the finish.

In the first quarter A. & M. scored a touchdown in the first four minutes of play by end runs, line bucking and a forward pass. Seifert missed the goal. In the second quarter Tennessee attempted to punt on their 20-yard line but Floyd broke through and ruined the kick, the ball being secured by Dun, of A. & M., on Tennessee's five-yard line. Seifert went around the end for a touchdown and kicked goal. After a series of line plays, and an exchange of punts by A. & M., Tennessee fumbled the ball on their 20-yard line and Seifert got it. Seifert scored a touchdown on a forward, but missed the try for goal. Score, A. & M., 16; Tennessee, 0.

A. & M. got within one yard of the Tennessee goal in the last quarter but lost the ball on failure to make the necessary gain. There was another chance to score in this quarter when Stafford lost the ball on Tennessee's twelve-yard line when he was tackled.

Hassell and Page, two new men who were substitutes in the latter part of the game did good work, but did not have much time to show their ability.

The long end runs of Cool and the forward passes of A. & M., were the features of the game. The work of Kelly, of Tennessee, at right tackle, was also a feature. Flyler, who played in Hart's place, did good work throughout the game. The game was played on a water soaked field but it did not mar the playing.

A. & M.	Positions	Tennessee
Seifert	R E	Geisler
Floyd	R T	Kelly
Dunn	R G	McGuire
Sykes	L G	Gause
Plyler	L T	Kehr
Phillips	L E	Carroll, Donaldson
Capt. Stafford,		
Page	Q B	Capt. Broush
Cool	R H B	Fonde
Harris	F B	Tompkins
Anthony, Hassell	L H F	Applewhite

Time of quarters, 10 minutes; touchdowns, Cool 1, Seifert 2; try at goal, Seifert 1; successfully forward passes, A. & M., 4; unsuccessful forward passes, A. & M., 5; Tennessee, 1; penalties, A. & M., 45 yards; Tennessee, 20; referee, Crafts, of George Washington; umpire, Jackson, of Baltimore City College; field judge, McNutt, of Ohio State University; head linesman, Thompson, of A. & M.; attendance, 400.

North Carolina vs. U S S Franklin

Chapel Hill, N. C., Oct. 28.—The University of North Carolina football squad won fro mthe team of the U. S. S. Franklin in a hotly contested game here today by the score of 12 to 0. While the college boys had the edge on the sailors from the start, the game was replete with interesting features.

Carolina's Fourth.

Chapel Hill, N. C., Oct. 28.—Carolina won her fourth consecutive game of the season by defeating the United States training ship Franklin here today 12 to 0. The day was raw and the field was exceedingly slippery preventing a larger score being made against the sailors. Carolina scored in the first three minutes of play. Franklin kicked off, Coffin carried the ball to mid-field, a successful onside kick placed the ball on the sailors' 20-yard line, Seigler skirted the end for ten, and a forward pass from Tillett to Long carried the ball over for a touch-down. Tillett kicked goal. The second touch-down came in the fourth quarter, when Hurtt interrupted a forward pass from the sailors and ran 20 yards for a touch-down. Tillett kicked goal.

The Sailors played a clean, good-natured game and their gentlemanly conduct on and off the field caused much favorable comment. The particular stars for the sailors were Hill, Quinn and Prevatil. The favorite play was the forward pass, which gained them very little ground against the Carolina defense. Carolina made the majority of her gains by sweeping runs around the ends. Seigler and Wakeley carrying the ball, the interference for these runs was superb, being successful new formation worked out by Coach Bocock. Hart, of the regular line-up for Carolina, was out of the game. Capt. Winston, playing only the last few minutes of the game. Deans, Small and Strange showed strong on defense, while Seigler, Wakeley, Tillett and Coffin carried the ball for substantial gains. The sailors left for Norfolk tonight.

Officials: Thompson, of North Carolina, referee; Hodson, of V. P. I., um-

pire; Lawson, of North Carolina, head linesman.

Harvard Defeats Brown

Cambridge, Mass., Oct. 28.—Brown was no match for Harvard at football today for the score of 20 to 6 does not spell the full strength of the Crimson offense. Yet Brown has the satisfaction of being the first team to cross the Harvard goal line this season, a feat due entirely to the perfection of its team in making forward passes. Except in the second period when Brown scored, Harvard, however, was always master of the situation. There was scarcely a Brown play that was not smothered or torn to pieces before it gained headway.

Yale 23; Colgate 0.

New Haven, Conn., Oct. 28.—Yale won an easy victory here this afternoon over Colgate's eleven 23 to 0. Walter Camp, Jr., appeared in the Yale line-up for the first time this season, playing a spectacular game at half back and featuring with smashing gains through the Colgate line. The first period ended without a score Yale's fumble proved costly, while the visitors carried the ball into Yale territory twice getting first downs. Colgate had two chances for field goals from the vicinity of the 35-yard line but at no other time was dangerous. At the beginning of the second period Camp circled Colgate's right end for a touchdown and six minutes later, aided by Strout's advancing of the ball, slipped around the same end for another score.

Navy vs. Western Reserve

Annapolis, Md., Oct. 28.—Keeping the ball in their opponent's territory most of the time and showing plenty of strength in defense of their own goal but manifesting weakness of attack when a yard or two meant a first down or a score, the Navy football team this afternoon played a scoreless game with the Western Reserve eleven from Cleveland, Ohio.

Navy's play, although marked by flashes of individual brilliance and a good open field running, was a distinct disappointment.

Alabama and Georgia Tie

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 28.—The University of Alabama and Georgia Tech football teams engaged in a hard fought but scoreless game here today. Tech had the ball in the enemy's territory most of the time but was unable to cross the goal. Much fumbling and many penalties made the game somewhat slow.

University of Pa. Meet Defeat

Philadelphia, Oct. 28.—The University of Pennsylvania football team suffered one of the worst defeats in its career today when it lost to Pennsylvania State College by the score of 22 to 6. The feature of the game was the lightning-like scoring of State in the period. The visitors made 20 points in this period on three touch downs, and a safety. In the final quarter another safety increased State's score to 22 points. Pennsylvania's only touchdown came at the very close of the second period.

In the second period Pennsylvania sent in a substitute backfield and these men checked State. Just before the half ended Minds made a 35-yard run for Pennsylvania's only score.

Princeton 20; Holy Cross 0

Princeton, N. J., Oct. 28.—Long end runs, outside kicks and the forward pass enabled Princeton to defeat Holy Cross today by the score of 20 to 0. Had the game been played on a wet field such as last Saturday's the result of the game would probably have been different, for the Worcester eleven tore up the Princeton line as no other team has this season and made more first downs against Tigers than all the rest of the teams that have met Princeton.

Carlisle Indians Defeat LaFayette

Easton, Pa., Oct. 28.—The Carlisle Indians defeated LaFayette today by the score of 19 to 0. The nearest LaFayette came to scoring was when it succeeded in placing the oval on the red skin's 16-yard line.

Vanderbilt Defeated

Ann Arbor, Mich., Oct. 28.—Giving the Maize and Blue one of the toughest battles Ferry Field has witnessed in years and threatening to snatch victory until the last moment of play, Vanderbilt University football eleven was defeated 9 to 8 by Michigan today in a streaky contest, mled with thrilling flashes of individual brilliance.

Michigan outplayed Vanderbilt a trifle in the first half but in the final two periods the men of Yost fought as fierce and as often to defend their own goal line as they did to batter Vanderbilt's defense in an effort to score.

Neither team counted in the first two quarters. Each scored a field goal in the third. In the final period Wells, Michigan's all-American end, crossed the Vanderbilt goal line and Captain Conklin kicked goal. A few moments later Captain R. Morrison, of Vanderbilt duplicated Wells performance but failed to kick goal.

West Point Victorious

West Point, N. Y., Oct. 28.—The West Point football team easily defeated LeHigh here today by a score of 20 to 0. Two touchdowns, one which netted a goal, a placement goal and two drop kicks gave the Army its score. The visitors once got to within six inches of the Army goal.

Other Games:

At Itacha: Cornell 9; Pittsburg 3.
At Oberlin 6; Case 5.
At Minneapolis: Minnesota 26; Iowa 6.
At Pittsburg: Washington and Jefferson 33; Westminster 0.
At Lexington, Ky.: Kentucky 0; University of Cincinnati 6.
At Hanover, N. H.: Dartsmouth 12; Vermont 0.
At Evanston, Ill.: Wisconsin 28; Northwestern 3.
At Washington: Georgetown 21; St. John 0.
At LaFayette, Ind.: Purdue 5; DePaull 0.
At Birmingham, Ala.: Auburn 11; Mississippi 5.
At Athens, Ga.: Georgia 8; Mercer five.
At Roanoke, Va.: Polytechnic 5; Washington & Lee 5.
At Charlottesville: University of Virginia 22; V. M. I. 6.
At Charleston, S. C.: Citadel 21; Charleston College 0.
At Richmond: Hampton Sidney 3; Richmond College 0.
At Austin, Texas: University of Texas 21; University of Arkansas 0.
At New Orleans: Tulane 10; Howard College 0.
At Baltimore: Gettysburg 5; Johns Hopkins 3.

Who has the most up-to-date Art Department south of Richmond? Don't all speak at once. **

WOODROW WILSON AT THE TEXAS FAIR

(Continued from Page One.)

and bring about as nearly as possible uniform regulation. But in others we shall be strong only when we adapt ourselves most perfectly to the variety of our people, of our soil, of our products, of our social and economic development.

The States are the political laboratories of a free people. Their self-adjustment is the most vital process of our life. The danger of a too great concentration of authority in the government at Washington is not so much a constitutional danger as a practical danger. It is the danger of an artificial uniformity, of and arbitrary unity, of a system without elasticity, of regulation without local accommodation.

One of the reasons why our States flagged in the exercise of their powers; one of the reasons why the question arose whether they were going to exercise them or let them lapse by neglect, was that they did not have such political arrangements as made it easy for public opinion to tell upon legislation and effect the objects which thoughtful and public spirited men had long had in mind. There has been going on all over the United States a process of somewhat profound political change. The change has not been uniform. In one State it was produced by one set of conditions; in another, by another; but almost everywhere there was this common difficulty, that the government did not seem easily responsive to opinion; that the people seemed caught in an elaborate machinery of politics which could be manipulated against them, which could be so used as again and again they sought to cheat them of the objects they sought, which seemed to put the whole control of affairs in the hands of small coteries of men who were exercising not representative, but usurped authority, and who were exercising it too often for private and not for public objects. As I said, this was not true of all the States. The utmost variety existed in this respect as in many others, but it was true in so many States that men had begun to ask themselves whether we were not living in a fool's paradise; whether we were not boasting of representative institutions, when we really did not have them; whether we were not caught in an elaborate system of elections and delegations of power which made our government virtually independent of the force of general opinion.

Reform began to come in our States as the people awakened to these circumstances and bestirred themselves to take control of their own affairs once more, so that we have come upon one of the most important, because one of the most difficult periods of our politics. We are trying nothing less than to revise our methods of political action, while we are in the midst of a great economic readjustment. Both our instrumentalities of action and the objects we employ them to accomplish are under debate. We are discussing both what we shall do and what means and instruments we have at hand by which to do them.

Our objects are clear. We want a truly free, that is a truly open and truly representative set of governments for our States, and by representative we do not merely mean governments of persons elected to represent us, but actually and constantly responsive to the larger and more permanent movements of public opinion.

So long as there was nothing in particular to do, so long as we did not clearly recognize our problems and had not seriously applied ourselves to the remedy, we got along well enough under the arrangements we had already made; were indifferent and inattentive, pushed forward in an easy-going and thoughtless prosperity in which we did not seem to need the assistance of government or the regulation of law. But now we are aware of the complicated and difficult tasks of economic readjustment which are immediately necessary, and, knowing this necessity, we are as much interested in the full restoration of our representative institutions as in the accomplishment of our legislative objects. We cannot have the one without the other.

Because we want a just, well considered, moderately executed readjustment of our present economic conditions—a readjustment based upon the facts—we have become impatient of all sophistication about the facts; we have determined to go to the root of matters in our analysis of them and to be perfectly fearless in our discovery of them. We mean to be conservative in the remedies we apply, because we know that it is absolutely necessary to hold the delicate fabric of business together. We know that too great speed in change would defeat our very object, which is not destruction, but the purification and rectification of what is wrong. Many things that look radical by way of remedy are no doubt conservative enough because a State cannot be tender with things that are manifestly wrong, unjust, intolerable to our people. But the change that comes step by step, that addresses itself to the correction of one manifest evil at a time, that bases itself upon actual facts, and not upon extravagant theories, that intends what is just and accomplishes it by never going too far, is not only not radical, but is profoundly and essentially conservative. If there be diseases in our economic body, it is conservative to cure them, not to let them alone. They will work evenualti destruction much more surely than any well intentioned remedy could bring it about.

It is then rapid formation of thought upon thse matters in the United States that is producing the present alignment in our politics. We are now divided, not so distinctly into Democrats and Republicans, as we are into Progressives and those who resist change.

Prosperity itself rests upon the people and the facts. A contented and hopeful people means a rich and varied economic development. The people of the United States are not contented. They are just now not as hopeful as they should be. They are suspicious of the foundations of their business. They are convinced that something inequitable lies at the basis of the great power which small bodies of men now exercise in the business world. These are the conditions not of prosperity, but of disquiet, and there is only one remedy for them—the remedy which Progessives seek. They seek it, not with hostility to business, but with hostility to the present conditions which make wholesome business impossible. They are seeking the facts. They are analyzing them without fear or favor, and they are seeking remedies which will meet them.

It is worth while to note that the chief representatives of the progressive political thought of the country are the men who are hard students, who always go into debate furnished from top to toe with the facts of the case they are discussing; that their speeches are not inflamed with rhetoric, but bristle with verifiable facts. They are seeking adjustment, accommodations of interest. They make startling statements, but they seldom propose startling changes in our law. They merely propose sober regulation. They are fighting, not business, but monopoly; not prosperity, but the determination by limited bodies of men of the form which our prosperity shall take. They cannot be silenced. They cannot be shunted on one side. They are speaking the opinions and convictions of the people. Once entrusted with authority, they will accomplish their objects with the self-possession and moderation of statesmen and patriots.

But where are they? What is their organization for success? What prospect have they of controlling the affairs of our States and of the Nation? We act by parties and must always do so. Parties are but organizations of men of like conviction and purpose, for common objects. They cannot effect the necessary concert unless they join themselves in united cooperative bodies. The only organization now at the disposal of the progressive thought of the country is the Democratic party. There are thousands of progressives nominally in the Republican party, and they are led by men of extraordinary ability and equipment. But they are in a minority in their own party. They are not in control of its organization. They cannot use it to accomplish their objects. They are thwarted by its leaders. The Democratic party, on the other hand, is in control of its progressive elements; stands nearer the people and the facts than does the Republican party as an organization. It is ready and free and determined to act. Its counsels have been accommodated to the circumstances and needs of a new age. It is no more radical than the progressive element of the Republican party. Its radicalism, like theirs, consists simply in the determination to face realities and devise suitable remedies, remedies which will heal, not exasperate; remedies which will quiet existing distempers and furnish business with its only conceivable permanent basis—the basis of universal confidence. It is capable of common counsel, because it is united, and by common counsel it will unquestionably produce a programme of action which will bring in a new era of quietude and prosperity.

Things cannot go on as they are, and only the Democratic party is ready to alter them. Its leaders come from every quarter of the country; are in touch with conditions of every kind; are keenly aware of the careful accommodations which are necessary if a whole Nation is to be properly served; have the points of view of populations of many kinds, living in many circumstances. Are not these the conditions of progress and enlightenment and achievement?

MARINE BAND CONCERT NEXT THURSDAY NIGHT

There is social interest in the appearance here next Thursday evening the United States Marine Band. Lieut. William H. Santelmann is the leader and Lieut. Walter F. Smith, second leader. Among the soloists may be mentioned Arthur S. Whitcomb, cornet; Hans Joergensen, cornet; Robert E. Clark, trombone; Lee Sanford, trombone; Edward McIntire, baritone; George Frey, euphonium. The programme announced for the evening is as follows:

1 Overture, "Rienzi" .. ....Wagner
2 Invitation to the Dance .....
.....Weber-Weingartner
(Transcribed for Military Band by Wm. H. Santelmann).
3 Cornet solo, Fantastia, "Le Reve.. d'Amour,"..... ..Haydn-Millard
(Mr. Arthur S. Witcomb).
4 (a) 1st Valse. (Op. 83)....Durand
(b) Caprise 'Hearts Message".....
.....Santelmann
Intermission
5 Grand Scenes from "Lohengrin"..
.....Wagner
6 Sextette from 'Lucia" ....Donizetti
(Messrs. Witcomb, Joergensen, Clark, Sanford, McIntire and Frey).
7 Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2....Liszt
8 March 'Semper Fidelis" .....Sousa
(Official march of the U. S. Marine Corps).
'The Star Spangled Banner."

MORE ATTACKS IN TRIPOLI

Reconnaissances By Aeroplane Being Indulged In

Rome, Italy, Oct. 28.—A dispatch from Tripoli of current date says that in the early morning hours small forces of the enemy made three successive attacks. These were chiefly directed against the Italians guarding the Boumeliana wells, but the Turks weer easily repulsed Reconnaissances by aeroplanes disclosed an oasis on the left of the Italian position still occupied by the enemy.

It is now stated that it was the Turkish generals chief of staff and not the general who was killed in the fight on Thursday.

A dispatch from Toburk reports that ar Italian force sent out to examine the telegraph lines was attacked by 2000 horsemen who were driven off after the Italians were reinforced.

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MAY GET NEW JUDGE.

Counsel In McNamara Case Will Again Make Appeal.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 28.—Strong possibility of an appeal for a change of judge marked the close today of the third week of the McNamara murder trial which ended in a general snarl. One such demand already has been refused by Judge Walter Bordwell, the refusal being backed by an affidavit from Judge George H. Hutton, presiding judge of the 12 departments of the Superior Court of Los Angeles county, certifying the impartiality of Judge Bordwell.

A further appeal if made, would be based to a great extent, it is known, upon two rulings made today by Judge Bordwell in which he denied challenges by the defense against A. C. Winter and Walter N. Frampton as jurors. Both were changed for bias.

Their examinations cover scores of pages in the record trial of James B. McNamara, for the alleged murder of Charles G. Haggerty, one of the victims of the explosion which wrecked the Los Angeles Times building a year ago. Both men are still under challenge tonight, it having occurred to Attorney LeCompte Davis for the defense, after the adverse ruling of the court, that neither had been interrogated as to whether he would vote for conviction in a capital case on circumstantial evidence alone. He said he would not and this is ground for challenge under the law. The State resisted, Assistant District Attorney Horton declaring that such challenges should have been offered sooner or not at all; that if the men were against hanging it is so much better for the defense and that the statutory provision never was intended, and could not be used as "a savior of peremptory challenges."

"We don't want Frampton or Winter on that jury because they are not fair minded men," cried Attorney Joseph Scott for the defense in response to this. "We want them off, no matter whether the challenge is on the ground that appears beneficial under other circumstances or not.

Four talesmen accepted by both sides as to cause still subject to peremptory challenge, two more now under challenge for cause, and six in the box awaiting examination was the showing at the end of the third court week. One panel of 125 veniremen has been exhausted and another of 40 is nearly gone.

Clarence S. Darrow, chief counsel for the defense, refused tonight to discuss his plans, but other attorneys for the defense admitted that appeals for change of judge is their legal recourse.

TAFT TO REVIEW THE FLEET

Announcement Gave Officers and Men A Thrill

New York, Oct. 28.—"President Taft is coming to review the fleet," the news flashed late today along the five-mile line of the great array of war vessels in the Hudson river, gave officers and men a pleasurable thrill and induced redoubling of efforts to get everything spick and span for the review, now set for Thursday, November 2nd.

The announcement of the President's coming was good news too, on land. It promised aside from the pleasure of a President's visit, a lengthening of the fleet's stay and an even more spectacular display of naval evolutions than had been expected.

A striking incident of the late afternoon occurred when three of the noted sea fighters of the Spanish war, the battleships Massachusetts, Iowa and Indiana, steamed up and anchored off 150th street. This "Old crab fleet" as the sailors irreverently call the old timers, has been taken out of half reserve in the back channel at the Philadelphia navy yard to participate in the mobilization, for the purpose apparently, of illustrating the great difference between the battleships of today and that of a dozen years ago.

No visitors were allowed on the fleet today. Great crowds are expected tomorrow, however, and elaborate preparations have been made by both land partment to lookout for their safety, and marine sections of the police de-

FEW WEEKS' EXTENSION.

In Government's Suit Against International Harvester Co.

Washington, Oct. 28.—No further action in the government's anti-trust suit against the International Harvester Company will be taken for a few weeks.

Attorneys for the Harvester company have asked for an extension of the time which Attorney General Wickersham first specified for the Harvester company to propose a readjustment of its organization to conform with the Sherman law. This extension has been granted.

A plan of reorganization already is under way and eventually will be proposed to the Department of Justice.

The government's action in pressing the suit against the Steel Corporation is expected to be a factor in hastening the negotiations with the Harvester company, which was named as one of the United States Steel Corporation's most powerful allies.

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LEE AND THE CONFEDERACY

Carried Its Fortunes on His Shoulders During Last Two Years—Mr. Thomas Nelson Page's Estimate of Him

(Editorial, Charleston News and Courier).

"The Student of the Civil War," says Mr. Thomas Nelson Page in an article which he contributes to the November number of Scribner's Magazine on "General Lee and the Confederate Government," will be likely to reach the conclusion that for at least the last two years of the struggle Gen. Robert E. Lee carried the fortunes of the Confederacy on his shoulders." Mr. Page then goes further and undertakes to show that General Lee as the chief military commander of the Confederate armies was handicapped as no other great general in history has ever been by the subserviency of his position to President Davis and the Confederate Government at Richmond.

Mr. Page has no difficulty, of course, in making out his case. Testimony abounds that not only was General Lee hampered by reason of the fact that he was waging a defensive warfare only, a warfare in which, unlike Alexander, Caesar, Hannibal or Napoleon, he had no opportunity to provide his soldiers with either subsistence or spoils at the expense of the enemy, but in all his major operations and in even the minor details of camp life his plans were constantly being thwarted by interference from Richmond.

Lee was not a theorist. Mr. Davis was. Lee advocated making Confederate money a legal tender, but this was not done. He presented comparatively early in the war comprehensive plans for dealing the enemy a crushing blow by assuming the offensive; they were vetoed. He protested against the cherishing of hope of European interference, advocating a policy of self-reliance, but the wisdom of his view was not recognized. He urged the necessity of employing negroes as soldiers, not by coercion, but by invitation, "with the condition of emancipation to all enrolled," but his appeal fell upon deaf ears. He complained that discipline in the army was being subverted by the continual overturning by the Richmond government of the verdicts of courts-martial, but his complaints went unheeded.

Nevertheless, "subordination to the civil authority was the key to Lee's action throughout the war." He never sought to exceed in any degree the scope of his authority, but was scrupulous to avoid even the appearance of doing so. Mr. Page tells the story of a conference which B. H. Hill had with him which illustrates this characteristic. The Georgia Senator had sought his views with regard to removing the seat of government from Richmond to some point further South. We quote:

His reply was: "That is a political question, Mr. Hill, and you politicians must determine it. I shall endeavor to take care of the army, and you must make the laws and control the government."

"Ah, General, but you will have to change that rule," said the Georgia Senator, "and form and express political opinions; for if we establish our independence the people will make you Mr. Davis' successor."

"Never, sir," said Lee; "that I will never permit. Whatever talents I may posses (and they are but limited) are military talents. My education and training are military. I think the military and civil talents are distinct, if not different, and full duty in either sphere is about as much as one man can qualify himself to perform. I shall not do the people the injustice to accept high civil office with whose questions it has not been my business to become familiar."

"Well—but, General," persisted Hill, "history does not sustain your view. Caesar, Frederick of Prussia and Bonaparte were great statesmen as well as great generals."

"And great tyrants," replied Lee promptly. "I speak of the proper rule in republics, where I think we should have neither military statesmen nor political generals."

"But Washington was both," urged Hill, "and yet not a tyrant."

"Washington was an exception to all rules, and there was none like him," said he smiling.

It was doubtless this conversation which led Hill in after years in pronouncing his eulogy on General Lee to utter the fine saying that "he was Caesar without his ambition, Frederick without his tyranny, Napoleon without his selfishness, and Washington without his reward."

We have given only a suggestion of the lines which Mr. Page takes in his interesting and instructive article. It is a fact worthy of note that with every year that passes the public interest in General Lee should be increasing and the appreciation of his abilities and of his character should exhibit a constant expansion. Theseries of articles which Mr. Bradford has recently contributed to the Atlantic Monthly constitutes one of the most valuable biographic studies that has ever been made in this country, and the space which magazines of the standing of the Atlantic and Scribner's are devoting to this great chieftain of a cause that went down in defeat is eloquent of the large and larger place he is coming to occupy in the minds of the American people regardless of section.

Mr. Page's article will add to this interest. As to the effect which General Lee's relations to the Confederate Government had upon the success of his military campaigns, that, as Mr. Page says, will probably always remain a question; but the facts cited by Mr. Page will serve to persuade his readers that it was most unfortunate for the Confederacy that a leader so clear of vision should have been forced to act always under the orders of one who, however high-minded and patriotic and wise he may have been, was yet too much of a theroist, too jealous of his constitutional rights and too blinded oftentimes to facts to make him a proper commanedr-in-chief for armies confronted with the difficulties which the armies of the Confederacy were forced to face. The devotion of General Lee to President Davis was indeed beautiful, but his patience must again and again have been sorely tried.

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AFFAIRS AT LUMBERTON, N. C.

Week's News in Robeson's Capital—Raleigh and Charleston—Cumberland Fair—Personal and General Notes

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., Oct. 28.—For the past several months persistent rumors have been going around to the effect that the Seaboard would take over the Raleigh & Charleston. Several days for the transfer have been set—by the people who knew nothing about it—but when the time would arrive there would be nothing doing.

But unless the inside indications are wrong something will happen before many days. As is the general rule, the railroad people let outsiders do the talking, but occasionally the outsiders have to be consulted about something and of course, they are not very particular about keeping things of so much importance from the public. There may be no changes at all, and again there may be. Be that as it may, some of the employes will be better satisfied when they know just where they are.

A few days ago the following inquiry, addressed to the Star correspondent, and signed "R. I. P." was left at our home during our absence: "The paragrapher of the Star has made inquiry concerning the whereabouts of the old-fashioned gentleman who placed woman on a pedestal and stood by with his hat off; and for his contemporary who was known as a fire later. Won't you ask him to ascertain what has become of the old-fashioned gentleman whose word was his bond, and how he got backed off the board by the new-fashioned gentleman (?) whose sworn statement about matters which effect his own interests isn't worth a cuss." Will the paragrapher of the Star please come across.

In the death of Mrs. S. N. Dick, which occurred last Sunday night, passed away another of Lumberton's oldest and best loved people. She had been our friend for over 40 years, from our earliest recollections, and we can't find words in which to express our appreciation for her friendship. Mrs. Dick was a lady in whose presence one always felt that it was good to be there. When she was in good health where there was sickness or distress she was always found doing what she could do to eleviate suffering humanity, and none was too lowly in life for her to visit and aid when in need to the extent of her ability. The world is made better by such women as Mrs. Dick having lived.

Coburn's Great Minstrels played here Thursday night. It is the general opinion that the show is entitled to the word "greater," as it was indeed a great show. It was worth the price of admission just to see Mr. Charles Gano, undoubtedly the cleverest black-face ever seen here. As a comedian he is it, and many who attended were still laughing yesterday and complaining of being sore.

Invitations have been sent out for a Hallowe'en party to be given by Miss Minnie Lennon at her residence Tuesday evening. Miss Lennon is always on the lookout for something by which she may give her friends a good time and this occasion will be no exception.

The Mt. Elam Sunday School Union will be held at the West Lumberton Baptist church, situated at the National Cotton Mills, tomorrow. A special train will be operated over the R. & C. from Barnesville tomorrow morning, and the train will be run over the Seaboard to the mill so that people from the Barnesville section who attend the Union may leave the train not over 100 yards from the church. A general good time is expected.

The traction engine recently purchased by the county was put to good use here one day this week. A new pump weighing 10 tons arrived at the station, and after being unloaded a couple of heavy log carts were put into service for hauling it to the pumping station, nearly a half mile. Instead of the customary mules, the traction engine was coupled to the front cart and in a few moments the pump was at its destination.

A day or two ago we strolled into Mr. W. J. Prevatt's warehouse near the railroad station, and outside of the regular furniture store we will confess we did not think there was as much furniture for sale in Lumberton as Mr. Prevatt has in his warehouse. There is said to be five carloads in the warehouse, to say nothing of what is in the store up town. Mr. Prevatt is considering the idea of putting on a special furniture sale.

As a result of the protracted meeting which closed at the Presbyterian church Tuesday night, something like 100 members will be added to the different churches in town, 50 or more joining the Baptist church. At the morning service Sunday a collection was taken which amounted to $223.55.

There was some little excitement at the graded school during lunch hour yesterday. A 11 or 12 year-old-boy who was recently expelled from school on account of wanting to run the school to suit himself, happened along and decided he would lick one of the school boys about his own age or younger. Superintendent Sentelle appeared on the scene and ordeerd the boy from the grounds, but he refused to leave until he had gotten a good shaking up. The kid who undertakes to do as he pleases at that school will soon find out that Prof. Sentelle is running things up there, and takes no foolishness. While so many laws are being made it is a pity that a law can't be made requiring such boys as that to be confined as other live stock, though not with the stock, as it would be an insult to the beast family to require the members of it to associate with boys of such character.

It has come to our ears that a Lumberton young lady, who by the way, likes to see her name in print, has imparted the information to a friend that we "have nothing to do but sit on the front porch and make remarks about the girls as they pass by." Wish it were true, for we enjoy nothing better than looking at a good-looking girl, and Lumberton is full of them. We promise here and now to devote as much time as possible to looking at the girls and bragging on them to the best of our bragability.

We hear of a lake a few miles from town which shows evidence of having been stirred up during the past few days by dynamite. We have it straight that a supply of the stuff was received here a few days ago, and didn't come by freight or express. Better stop it before it kills something larger than fish.

The approaching marriage of Rev. F. R. Cardwell and Miss Florence Weiss will be an event of much interest to their friends. The marriage takes place Tuesday night at the Gospel Tabernacle at 8 o'clock. Mr. R. R. Carlyle will be best man while his sister, Miss Janie Carlyle, will be maid of honor. The happy couple will leave Wednesday morning via Fayetteville for Norfolk where they will take a boat for New York, the home of the groom. After spending some time there with relatives they will return to Philadelphia, the former home of the bride, where they will visit her relatives. They will return to Lumberton about the first of December.

The early morning train from Wilmington was half an hour late one morning this week, caused by what used to be almost a daily occurrence but seldom heard of on passenger trains these days—not boxes.

While the work of cutting off the front of the Columbia Hotel building is being done the Lumberton Barber Shop has a room adjoining the pressing club in the rear of Boylin's jewelry store. Contractor Pleasants, who is doing the work on the hotel, says he expects to have the work completed in about two weeks.

A large rat was killed near the union station by a train on the Seaboard one night this week which was different in color from any rat many people have ever seen, and some expressed the opinion that it was a young o'possum. It's head was just mashed off. The color was a sort of dirty white, too dark for a white rat, but it was suggested that the rat had turned gray from old age.

Among the distinguished visitors from Lumberton who attended the ball at Fayetteville last night, were Messrs. R. H. Davis and C. G. Guill. The balls which are always given at the close of the Fayetteville fair are generally attended by several Lumbertonians.

A good many of our people are wisely preparing to use coal for fuel during the Winter in place of wood which has reached such a high price that it is calculated to bankrupt the wealthy while the poor people may freeze. We heard a reputable gentleman make the statement yesterday that $18 worth of coal srved him last Winter where he had been paying at least $100 before. Wood, like many other things, is too high.

While business, generally speaking, is dull in Lumberton, there is always exceptions to the rule. While surveying the street in the vicinity of Fourth and Chesnut streets, the city engineer discovered that the large sales stables belonging to Mayor White had gotten out 3 inches on the Chesnut street side. The Mayor, of course, believes in the enforcement of the law and started in to get the building off the street. Fire Chief Townsend forbade the work being done as it is in the fire limit. However, the commissioners granted the Mayor permission to move provided nothing was done to prolong the life of the stable.

A farmer who held his cotton over last season for better prices, was in town yesterday inquiring into the situation. He has 25 or 30 bales on hand of last year's crop for which he refused several months ago 14 1-2 cents per pound. Yesterday he was offered 8 1-2 cents. A difference of $30 per bale.

Home-raised fresh pork found its way to market this week, but the high prices caused many people to look at it and pass on.

Large crowds of people from this section visited the Fayetteville fair during the week. Several who went from here said the crowds were large but the fair poor. On the day that John Robinson's circus was there the V. C. & S. turned over to the Coast Line at Hope Mills over 300 passengers. That will give some idea of the attendance along that road from this county.

It has been stated during the past few days by some of the leading merchants, who were asked about the conditions of trade compared with a year ago, that trade was off at least one-half. These conditions seem general, judging from what the traveling men report. Notwithstanding the continued low price of cotton, receipts continue to be heavy.

The attraction at the Opera House next week will be the Starky Players, a repertoire organization consisting of 10 or 12 people who are well-known to the larger cities of the South, and are making their annual visit with one of the strongest companies of this class that we have had the pleasure seeing for several years, according to press notices from the cities where they have been playing. The opening play Monday night will be a comedy drama with a Western atmosphere, entitled "Under Arizona Skies." It is said the company carries a complete scenic production for this play. The company will be here for one week, and popular prices will prevail during the engagement. The show will arrive here tomorrow from Charleston where it played a return engagement this week.

Some people claim to have seen frost in this section during the week, but although we "rise with the chickens," we couldn't see it.

Speaking of filling big orders for fresh meat, Mr. Hinds, the old reliable, told us this week of one little order which he filled a few days ago of something over 250 pounds already cut for the cook. And it wasn't for a hotel or cafe.

Mr. A. T. Parmele, who has been real sick for several days was able to be up a short time yesterday——Mrs. J. M. Jones and little daughter left Wednesday for Charleston, S. C., where they will spend several days visiting——Mrs. F. J. Thomas left this morning for Lillesville, where she will spend today and tomorrow with Mr. Thomas, who is spending some time there with his mother recuperating after his recent illness. The many friends of Mr. Thomas will be glad to know that he is steadily improving.

If there is a building in this section that hasn't leaked during last night and today, it can be classed as weather proof, as it is not often that a steadier rain falls than has fallen since yesterday afternoon.

The Robesonian's new press has been installed and is now turning out papers at the rate of 1,800 per hour already folded.

Mr. James McNeill, who has been the faithful and efficient health officer for the town during the Summer, turned over his badge today, his time of office having expired. During his term of office "Jimmie" has done his part in the effort that is being made to make Lumberton the cleanest and healthiest town to be found. It is to be hoped he will be on the job again next season.

Mr. Jno. D. McMillan has been spending the week in the Northern cities on business, and it is suspected that he is well equipped with baseball information——"Beverly of Graustark" which plays Wilmington next Saturday night will be seen in Lumberton Monday night, November 6th.

ADMITS HE KNOWS NOTHING

D. T. Woodward on Stand on Lorimer Investigating Committee

Chicago, Oct. 28.—Former State Representative Sydney P. Espy, of Benton, before the Lorimer Investigation Committee of the United States Senate, today faced one of the men, who several days ago, he swore had conspired to injure him by involving him in the Lorimer case.

D. T. Woodward, a Benton dentist, was the man accused by Espy. Woodward admitted that he had asked Zeba Hudson, of Benton, to write a letter to the committee suggesting that Woodward be called before the committee as a witness. Woodward also admitted that his chief object was to get a trip to Washington, D. C., at the expense of the government. He denied that he wanted to injure Espy.

Woodward said he had been told that a Dr. Smith, of Benton, had received a $2,000 draft from Senator Lorimer's LaSalle street bank of Chicago. Dr. Smith was a close friend of former Representative Crawford.

W. B. Blake, cashier of the Benton State Bank, Woodward said, "told me about the $2,000 draft."

Woodward was kept on the stand until the committee adjourned for the day. By that time he had contradicted himself so many times as to invalidate his testimony.

Under interrogation by Senator Fletcher, Woodward admitted finally that he knew absolutely nothing bearing upon the Lorimer case aside from gossip.

GOVERNORS IN NEW ORLEANS.

First Business of Meeting Will be to Check Downward Course of Cotton.

New Orleans, Oct. 28.—Probably the first business to come up before the conference of Southern Governors who will meet here Monday next to discuss the problem of checking the downward course of the price of cotton, will be a proposition to raise a fund of $75,000,000 to $100,000,000 to be used in holding back the cotton crop until higher prices are obtained. Governor Colquitt, of Texas, who issued the call for the meeting of the executives, is understood to favor such a plan providing any feasible way of carrying it out can be devised.

Nine of the Southern governors will be present at the conference together with a number of State commissioners of agriculture and the president and several members of the National Farmers' Union. Governors Hadley, of Missouri, and Gilchrist, of Florida, and Hoke Smith, of Georgia, will not be present on account of conflicting engagements.

At the opening of the morning session Governor Sanders, of Louisiana, and Mayor Behrmann, of New Orleans, will welcome the visiting executives, following which Governor Colquitt probably will be elected to the chair, at which time he will state the purpose of the meeting.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Miss Anna Harter, of Lima, O., Jumped Into Pit of Bears.

Lima, Ohio, Oct. 28.—In an attempt to end her life while suffering from despondency, Miss Anna Harter, 33 years old, today leaped into a pit at the city park in which were confined two large black bears. The bears, however, refused to harm her and she was found in the pit some time later by Lee Stuckey, a park attache. The bears attacked him when he went to the woman's rescue and drove him from the pit, but he subdued them with a stream of water from a hose and dragged Miss Harter from the enclosure. Miss Harter recently lost $500 and this is believed to have preyed on her mind. She said she hoped the bears would devour her.

Winchester, Va., Oct. 28.—Col. Wm. M. Glass, a Confederate veteran and descendant of Gen. James Wood, the founder of Winchester, died at his home near here today of paralysis, aged 77 years.

HOW TO CURE BLOOD POISON

Contagious Blood Poison is a virulent germ, and like most other bacterial organisms, is very difficult to kill or destroy within the system. It would therefore be useless to endeavor to cure the disease with some strong medicine intended to destroy the disease blood cells and virus. The proper way—the only way—is to REMOVE the germs and poisons from the blood by purifying the circulation. Thousands have cured themselves of this powerful disease by the use of S. S. S., the greatest of all vegetable blood purifiers. This is a medicine of unquestioned ability in the treatment of Contagious Blood Poison. For more than forty years it has been prepared and sold as a cure for this trouble, and not only its efficacy, but the fact that it does not contain a particle of mineral, or other harmful drug, should be an inducement to any Contagious Blood Poison sufferer to begin its use. S. S. S. goes right down into the circulation, and removes every trace of the destructive virus. It heals all sores, stops falling hair, and by cleansing and enriching the blood, soon clears the body of every symptom. Home Treatment book and any medical advice free. S. S. S. is sold at drug stores.

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DEPARTURES	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS
No. 90, ! 3:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 13:35 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M).	No. 91, a 1:00 A. M.
No. 51, * 5:45 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *11:40 P. M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 65, ! 6:50 P. M.
No. 48, * 8:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
No. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway (!) Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, 1:40 P. M.
No. 62, * 3:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 63, *12:50 P. M.
No. 59, ! 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A. M.
No. 42, * 7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, * 9:45 A. M.
No. 57, ! 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and intermediate Stations.	No. 58, ! 8:30 A. M.

* Daily ! Daily except Sunday. a Daily except Monday.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

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Effective October 2nd, 1911. DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

To the Beach.

Leave Wilmington—6:30, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; *1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 P. M.

2:00 P. M. (Saturday only).

* On Saturday this train leaves at 1:10 P. M.

To Wrightsville.

Leave Wilmington—6:30, 7:00, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, 4:30, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

To Wilmington.

Leave Beach — 7:45, 9:15, 10:45, 12:15, 1:45, 3:45, 5:15, 6:25, 6:55, 7:56, 9:15, 10:45 P. M.

Leave Wrightsville—6:15, 7:30, 7:55, 8:30, 9:25, 10:55 A. M.; 12:25, 1:55, 2:30, 3:55, 5:25, 6:35, 7:05, 8:00, 9:25, 10:55, 11:30 P. M.

SUNDAY.

To the Beach.

Leave Wilmington—8:00, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 P. M.

To Wrightsville.

Leave Wilmington—8:00, 9:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.

To Wilmington.

Leave Beach—8:45, 10:45 A. M.; 12:15, 1:45, 2:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:25, 6:55, 7:50, 9:15, 10:45 P. M.

Leave Wrightsville—7:50, 8:55, 10:00 A. M.; 12:25, 1:55, 2:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:35, 7:05, 8:00, 9:25, 10:55, 11:30 P. M.

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Ar. Wilson, A. C. L.		11:09 p. m.
Lv. Wilmington, A.C.L.	5:50am.	*3:25pm
Ar. New Bern, A.C.L.	9:15am	6:50pm
Lv. Goldsboro, N.S.R.R.	*7:15am	*10:15pm
Lv. New Bern, N.S.R.R.	9:30am	12:30am
Lv. Wilson, N.S.R.R.	*8:20am	*11:30pm
Lv. Wash'gton, N.S.R.R.	10:50am	3:20am
Ar. Norfolk, N.S.R.R.	5:35pm	8:00am

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Ar. Wilson, N.S.R.R.	6:06 a. m.
Ar. Wilmington	9:45 a. m.

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Office of the Treasurer

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Trains Arrive at Wilmington:

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No. 44—11:59 P. M.—From Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for all points North; at Monroe, with No. 53, for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41, for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis. No. 84, for Washington and New York; No. 32, for Portsmouth, Norfolk, and No. 43, for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

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Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	6:55 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
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Sunday, October 29, 1911.

The Philadelphia Athletics are the Mackmen and the New York Giants are the hackmen.

A man ought to avoid having too many circumstances against him when he is charged with doing something.

Nay, Pauline, a man's wife is not an aviatress simply because she flies off the handle every time he is late for his meals.

It takes such an awfully long time to make an industrial city when we wait for others to come and start all the factories.

Says the Dallas (Texas) News: "Champ Clark declares he has never asked a soul to vote for him for President of the United States." In that respect he is largely in the majority.

Come to think of it, the world has grown better for a fact. Jacob had to serve seven years to get Rachel, had Leah palmed off on him, and had to serve seven more without having attempted to escape or elope.

It is announced that "bananas are rich in alcohol and that good whiskey is now being made from that fruit." However, wouldn't a fellow full of banana juice be prone to slip up or engage in some sort of skin game?

The Kansas City Journal notes the fact that "a Detroit suffragette wants a law passed requiring husbands to pay their wives a salary." Of course, there ought to be such a law, for, if there isn't, a man's wife will go right on taking his salary.

Rodman Wannamaker's statue of an Indian is to be erected in New York harbor as America's tribute to the Red Men. Comparatively few Indians are now living to appreciate the nobility of the white man in almost exterminating their race and finally in erecting a monument to the people they put out of business.

Says the Chester (Pa.) Republican: "A young man who recently moved from this city to Darby to be closer to his place of employment in Philadelphia, writes to say that he has been offered all the free beer he can drink if he will join a so-called Republican club in that borough." The young man deserves credit for promptly reporting the low price set on his manhood and morality. Some politicians put an exceedingly low estimate on some of their fellowmen, and especially the young ones.

President Taft deserves to be remembered as the President who promised tariff revision and then signed the outrageous Payne-Aldrich tariff law increasing the burdens of the people. He also merits special remembrance for denouncing the wool schedule of the tariff law and then vetoing the Democratic revision bill which was passed with a view to correct that outrageous law and provide cheaper clothes and blankets for the people. He will be remembered as the man who talked one way for consumers but acted the other way for the Republican party's special interests.

The Petersburg Index-Appeal remarks: "The issue of white supremacy is being forced by the Democrats in the gubernatorial contest in Maryland. Had Maryland followed the example of Virginia in dealing with the question, there would be no race question up there, and whites and blacks would be dwelling together in peace and friendliness." States which do not protect themselves from ignorance need not expect any more than a biennial menace to their best interests. All sources of danger and causes of agitation should be settled once for all when the need of it is acute.

NORTH CAROLINA AT THE PITTSBURG LAND SHOW.

North Carolina had only a partial exhibit at the Pittsburg Land Show last week, but the products shown created wonder. Texas and Virginia also had displays, and as usual the Lone Star State fairly spread herself. Mr. George Byrne, writing to the Manufacturers' Record, said the Texas display occupied the most conspicuous space in the building. Texas always wants to get in the front row and it goes and does it. The Texas display was comprehensive and elaborate, and Mr. Byrnes states that to enumerate it would be "to call the roll of all the products of all the States." A similar display might have been made by North Carolina, for this State can produce about everything all the States can grow and produces many that they cannot grow. However, the North Carolina exhibit was creditable and attracted a great deal of attention. Mr. Byrne writes concerning it:

"The only railroad that seems to have busied itself to disply here the products of the country through which its lines run is the Norfolk Southern, and it makes an attractive, though not large, showing for those sections of Virginia and North Carolina penetrated by it. Some of the things shown are surprising to the beholders. For Instance, there is corn exhibited in the stalk which stands 18 feet in height, with a nest of large, well grained ears hanging far above the reach of the tallest man. North Carolina not being regarded generally as a corn producing State, people are not prepared to see such things come from there. This big corn, by the way, was grown upon land that has been in cultivation for more than a century. Other corn is shown—and here the wonder is greater—that grew on recently-drained swamp land, absolutely without cultivation, entirely untouched from planting time to harvest. These stalks are 17 feet high, the ears are large and full-grained, and the yield per acre must have been tremendous. No better corn than this North Carolina product can be shown from the great corn sections of Illinois or Indiana, or any of the most fertile farms of the West.

"There are many other products shown in this exhibit—peaches, pears, apples, sweet potatoes, Irish potatoes—all of the many things that grow in abundant profusion along the Atlantic seaboard and upon the mountain sides of the Old Dominion and the State of the Tarheel. The real worth—the productive power of a section such as this cannot be shown at an exhibition of this kind, for the best and most profitable products of the section from Norfolk south are of such character that they cannot be successfully utilized for exposition purposes on account of their perishable qualities.

"One thing especially emphasized here, however, is that North Carolina is the natural home of the grape, and especially of the fine scuppernong. This is well illustrated in the quality of the wine which is embraced in the exhibit, and which is of that mild type and delicious flavor that comes from nothing but that grape. And what a sensation is created among inquirers by the well authenticated information given of a scuppernong vine 300 years old, which covers more than an acre of ground and produces two tons of fruit annually! Other varieties of grapes grow throughout the same section in equal profusion, but the scuppernong is indigenous to this soil, and the places in which it does well are comparatively few.

"A strong card being displayed for the coast country of Virginia and North Carolina is its adaptability for the 'baby beef' business. The making of 'baby beef'—that is, an animal which will weight 1,000 pounds before he is a two-year-old—has become quite profitable, and it is shown, and that quite readily, that in the country illustrated in this exhibit this industry can be carried on with much more success and much more profit than in the Western communities in which it has proved so satisfactory as a profit-bringer. This because of the fact that feed is cheaper and that less feeding is required. But this is only one of a number of things in which the superiority of the Southeastern coast country is demonstrated by this exhibit and those who have it in charge.

"The exhibit is under the personal charge of Mr. B. E. Rice, a man who is thoroughly acquainted with the country and has unbounded confidence in its resources and capabilities. He has the Virginia-North Carolina argument pat on the tongue for any emergency, and can present it in such a way that conviction ever treads upon the heel of hearing. He made an exhibit recently at the Ohio State Fair, and the immediate result was a personally-conducted excursion of Ohio farmers to the section he represents, where two-thirds of the party made purchases of farms ranging from 80 acres to half a section, while of those who did not buy, several said they were only waiting to consult their wives when they returned home, and would make investments with their permission."

Exhibitions like that at Pittsburg are well calculated to attract settlers, and it is a pity North Carolina has not a standing and elaborate exhibit that it can transport anywhere on short notice, to be displayed in a manner truly representing the real agricultural and mineral resources of the State.

HAY FROM CANADA

What do you think? Wilmington receives cargoes of hay from Canada to be sold to North Carolina farmers. The records at the Custom House show the shipments, for the entries have to be made and the tariff duty paid before the merchandise is delivered to the purchasers. Thus, North Carolina farmers have raised cotton at about cost to pay for forage that they could produce at home. They pay the Canada hay producers' price, the Canadian hay jobbers' profit, the Wilmington merchants' profit, the long distance freight, and the tariff tax added to the whole.

When are we going to reverse this kind of farming? Hay and all kinds of forage are as staple as cotton. There is always a steady demand, and the farmer who raises his own supply is lucky, for he keeps his money at home. If he raises more than he needs himself he is luckier still, since he turns his surplus into profit. Some farmers are already doing that—some of those right around Wilmington. We had the good fortune to be present yesterday when a New Hanover farmer sold a big lot of hay to a local dairy and the price paid made the hay raiser smile, for he said it was the cheapest produced of all the crops he had harvested this season. Recently we also have seen wagon loads of fine hay brought into the city and sold to local consumers.

How much better off would be this State if every farmer would raise his own forage or be able to purchase it from his neighbor? In any event it would keep money at home where it would get into circulation, increase the volume of business and add to the prosperity of the country. Some time ago the Star copied from the Henderson Gold Leaf a statement that hay had been received there by the car load from Mexico, on which shipments there is also the freight and tariff duty to pay. Now comes the Lexington Dispatch to say:

"Saturday a Lexington merchant was having unloaded a car or two of baled hay and the wagons piled high with it attracted a great deal of attention on Main street. Inquiry elicited the information that the hay came all the way from Oklahoma. It is a fact that right here in Davidson county can be raised hay as good as any on earth, but it is not being done. Very few farmers are giving the growing of hay any attention at all and there are hundreds of men who call themselves good farmers who will buy hay raised by farmers in Oklahoma, Illinois, Indiana and half a dozen other States not half so much favored in the way of natural resources as North Carolina and Davidson county."

The Star frequently has urged that we should produce everything for which there is a demand, and especially for which there is a market in North Carolina. Hay and other forage crops come under this head, and we should go bag our heads at the thought of depending on Mexico, Canada, Indiana, Illinois, Oklahoma, or any other State for an ordinary farm product which can be raised in the greatest abundance and probably at less cost than in any portion of America. The finest cultivated hay we ever saw growing was produced in two miles of Wilmington.

ROCKY MOUNT'S NEW PAPER.

The growing young city of Rocky Mount has a new paper in "The Morning Telegram," which made its appearance in that thrifty North Carolina railroad centre on last Friday. The initial number of the Telegram appeared in neat typographic dress and it is decidedly chipper in its make-up. The telegraphic, State and general news was attractively displayed, and the editorial department gave evidence that Rocky Mount is to have a paper which will ably represent its progress and earnestly promote its development.

The new paper is Democratic in politics and there is an intimation that it is to be made a fearless, clean paper, devoted to the best interests of North Carolina in general and "Greater Rocky Mount" in particular. The publishers are Messrs. W. H. Horne and J. L. Horne, Jr., the former of whom is editor. Editor Horne is a good newspaper man, and The Star wishes him and his paper all the success that it so richly deserves.

Many a man has made a hit and got a good start, only to find out that somebody will head him off and tag him out before he can make a successful run.

A Chicago paper announces that a "Chicago woman has been left an inheritance of $3,000 to her horse." Will the horse get it or will the horse's lawyet get it?

Red Springs is to have a Masonic fair this week and will extend a warm welcome to hundreds of visitors. The Red Springs Citizen says the fair will be held in the large and elegantly constructed new building of Messrs. Sykes & Johnson, and that the booths, restaurants, etc., will be in that enclosure, while many out-door attractions will surround the building. This will afford a gala week for great numbers of people from Robeson, Cumberland, Hoke and Bladen counties, and no doubt they will be in evidence, for Red Springs does things and always gives its visitors a good time.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Displayed at Smyre's grocery is a mangel beet, a species of sugar beet for stock feed, that is 22 inches long and weighs seven pounds. It was grown by Mr. R. P. Freeze, who has made about 1,000 pounds from a patch six feet by 40. At this rate of production an acre will produce 3,000 bushels, counting 60 pounds to the bushel. The beets make the finest sort of feed, cooker or raw, and it would seem that our farmers might grow them with profit. Mr. Freeze's are still green and nourishing, and grow on till frost. —Catawba County News.

One is not surprised that ex-Senator Marion Butler, of North Carolina, attributes the low prices of cotton to the passage of the cotton goods tariff reduction bill by the Democratic House and Republican Senate at the late session of Congress, but that the Washington Post should give serious attention to that explanation is cause for astonishment. The drop in prices was much greater subsequent to the President's veto of the bill than during the period that it was under discussion. Rational people understand that the tariff legislation of the late session has not affected the market perceptibly in one way or another, but one marvels that the Washington Post imagines that Southern people would heed Marion Butler even if he should shout "Fire!" in a circus tent in the midst of a performance. However, it is interesting to be reminded that Mr. Butler exists.—Columbia State.

Georgia has a "corn boy" who takes his place alongside of young Jerry Moore, the South Carolina champion. Tox Knox is his name and his home and little farm are in Chattooga county. His record is 204 3-9 bushels of corn on one acre. Tom planted, cultivated and harvested the crop himself. That he is an intelligent and active young farmer is conclusively shown by the results. He will hereafter explain his methods of corn-raising for the benefit of other boy farmers—and for grown-ups, too, as far as that is concerned. What Tom Knox has done can be duplicated on any number of acres of land in Georgia. Good seed, good preparation, good fertilization and good cultivation will undoubtedly be found the secrets of Tom's success; and these things are within the reach of practically every farmer in the State. There cannot be too high commendation of the boys' corn clubs. They are doing an excellent service for the State.—Savannah News.

HOLD $17,239,750 RESERVE.

Weekly Statement of Clearing House Banks—Increase of $2,035,800.

New York, Oct. 28.—The statement of clearing house banks for the week shows that the banks hold $17,239,750 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is an increase of $2,035,800 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with last week. The statement follows:

Loans $1,912,427,000; increase $6,962,000.

Specie $841,474,000; increase $3,492,000.

Legal tenders $83,855,000; increase $855,000.

Net deposits $1,784,194,000; increase $16,587,000.

Circulation $50,348,000; increase $29,000.

Banks, cash reserve in vault $361,413,000.

Trust companies, cash reserve in vault, $63,416,000.

Aggregate cash reserve, $424,829,000.

Excess lawful reserve $19,653,900; increase $350,550.

Trust companies reserve with clearing house members carrying 25 per cent. cash reserve $62,179,000.

Summary of State banks and trust companies in Greater New York not reporting to the New York clearing house:

Loans $605,325,400; increase $2,310,700.

Specie $64,041,500; increase $1,600,000.

Legal tenders $11,208,100; decrease $267,500.

Total deposits $686,510,500; decrease $3,190,300.

PROMOTE SOUND CURRENCY.

Business Men of Albany, N. Y., Vote to Organize Eastern Section.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 28.—At a meeting of prominent manufacturers and business men of Albany today it was voted to organize an eastern New York section of the National Citizens' League, for the promotion of a sound currency and banking system. The movement, according to those interested, "is in harmony with the plan to organize the business interests of the country in favor of National legislation which will insure co-operation of all banks, protect the credit system of the country from any group of financial or political interests and provide a currency system which will prevent such panics as were experienced in 1893 and 1907."

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

Of Boy Scouts Has Been Suggested by Organizer.

Washington, Oct. 28.—To work toward world peace, an international association of boy scouts has been suggested by Lieut. Gen. Baden-Powell organizer of the boy scouts of England. His plan will be presented to the American executive board at its next meeting according to the announcement today of the executive of Secretary James E. West, of the boy scouts of America.

DON'T HAVE GRAY HAIR

A New Application of a Simple Remedy Restores the Natural Color

"Pull out one gray hair and a dozen will take its place," is an old saying, which is to a great extent, true, if no steps are taken to stop the cause. When gray hairs appear it is a sign that Nature needs assistance. It is Nature's call for help. Gray hair, dull, lifeless hair, or hair that is falling out, is not necessarily a sign of advancing age, for there are thousands of elderly people with perfect heads of hair without a single streak of gray.

When gray hairs come, or when the hair seems to be lifeless or dead, good, reliable hair-restoring treatment should be resorted to at once. Specialists say that one of the best preparations to use is the old-fashioned "sage tea" which our grandmothers used. The best preparation of this kind is Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, a preparation of domestic sage and sulphur, scientifically compounded with later discovered hair tonics and stimulants, the whole mixture being carefully balanced and tested by experts.

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Children's White Bear Skin Coats, ages 2 to 6 years, at $1.89.

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Children's Knitted Sweaters, white, red and oxford grey, sizes 20 to 26, at 50c.

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Children's Columbia Zephyr Knit Sacques, Bootees and Mittens, in Big Assortment.

Women's $2.00 Sweater Coats, "Thermos," cardinal and oxford, Special this week, at $1.50.

Women's $3.00 Sweater Coats, red, white, small plain cord weave, close fitting collar, Special, $2.48. Men's "Thermo" Sweater Coats, assorted colors, Special, $1.50.

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Brookly Baptist Church

Rev. W. B. Rivenbark, of Teachey's will occupy the pulpit at Brooklyn Baptist church today, both morning and evening. The morning service at 11 and evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Mr. Rivenbark will supply the pulpit until the church secures a pastor to succeed Rev. C. F. Whitlock, whose resignation was announced in yesterday's paper. Following the service this morning there will be an important meeting of the members of the church.

Goes to Solomon's Store

Mr. D. H. Williams, a popular young Wilmington salesman, the past nine years with the Mercer & Evans Co., has resigned his position with that firm and on Monday will take up his new duties at Solomon's shoe store. By industry and perseverance he has rapidly gone to the front as a salesman of ability and his many friends will be delighted to see him at the new location

Services at St. James'

On account of the absence from the city of the rector, there will be no service at 11 o'clock at St. James' church. Evening prayer at 5:30 will be held by Rev. T. P. Noe.

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We are showing a great assortment of Pure Wool Blankets, with the usual striped borders, and also the colored plaids. We have these in all the sizes—for the crib, single bed and the extra size beds.

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CORNER-STONE CEREMONIES

Masons to Have Charge of Ceremonies at Church of Good Shepherd Wednesday—Grand Lodge Officers Named.

Mention was made a few days ago of the arrangements for the laying of the corner-stone of the handsome new house of worship being erected by the Church of the Good Shepherd at corner of Sixth and Queen streets, Wednesday afternoon of this week at 4 o'clock, but it was not known then for a certainty that St. John's Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., which had been invited to have charge of the ceremonies as the Grand Lodge, could officiate, owing to a possible conflict of date with a previous dispensation of the Grand Master. Yesterday it was announced that the dispensation had been received and that the Masons would lay the corner-stone.

Hon. Richard N. Hackett, of Wilkesboro, Grand Master of North Carolina, has granted the dispensation at the request of Rev. Thos. P. Noe, rector, and the vestrymen of the church, made through St. John's Lodge, and the Grand Lodge will convene in the Masonic Temple Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock and will then proceed to the place where the exercises are to be held. The following have been named as the Grand Lodge officers on this occasion: W. M. Wm. B. McKoy, as Grand Master; R. W., B. A. Merritt, as Deputy Grand Master; R. W., Jas. F. Sears, as Senior Grand Warden; R. W., John S. McEachern, as Junior Grand Warden; R. W., S. F. Highsmith, as Grand Treasurer; R. W., A. S. Holden, as Grand Secretary; R. W., Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, as Grand Chaplain; R. W., R. C. Cantwell, as Senior Grand Deacon; R. W., R. H. Pickett, as Junior Grand Deacon; R. W., Chas. H. White, as Grand Marshal; R. W., W. R. Dosher, as Grand Sword Bearer; R. W., E. P. Bailey, as Grand Architect; R. W., S. M. Boatwright, as Grand Pursuivant; R. W., Stuart R. Keyes, as Grand Steward; R. W., W. A. McGirt, as Grand Steward; R. W., A. W. Allen, as Grand Tiler; R. W., Geo. S. Boylan, as Bearer of Three Great Lights.

It is probable that the Fort Caswell Band will accompany the Grand Ldoge if arrangements, now pending, can be made. The question has often been asked why the Masonic fraternity is almost invariably selected to lay the corner-stone of public buildings and maruments, instead of some other civic organization, and knowing but very few persons could give a correct answer to this question, Mr. A. S. Holden, secretary of St. John's Lodge, and one of the most active Masons in the city, was asked to furnish information on the point, which he has done in the following:

"To the students of Masonic history the answer is readily given. We are the outgrowth of and successors to the best managed and most successful labor union the world has ever known. Masonry has always extended to labor's hand a friendly or brotherly token. It teaches equality; it dignifies labor. As all homage should be paid to Him who created the heavens and the earth, so should we reward the works of him who was created in the image of the Creator. Freemasons were colleges of builders. Such societies builded the monuments, temples and churches of historic Egypt, Europe and the Holy Land. They builded a temple to the Goddess of Honor, to the God of Peace; they made Rome, for they worked in its quarries, built its walls, its monuments, its palaces, its temples, its pantheons and its coliseums. The hands of its painters and sculptors became cunning and proficient under Masonic influences. They were granted social privileges by the powers that were given a charter of unlimited and perpetual freedom. Empires, kingdoms and republics came and went, but Masonry continued the proud master of the axe, hammer and trowel, and a great moral world-power. Masons remained free, while others were almost in the bondage of slavery. Masonry enjoyed independence, while thrones were tottering and kingdoms falling.

"It was then an operative brotherhood, engaged in building material edifices. Its operative period has passed, and it is now speculative. It continues the use of the tools of the craft as symbols for moral and useful lessons. It has a much higher object for its existence today—the building of character, fitting our minds and consciences for that spiritual building, that house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens! We have inherited—succeeded to—the right to lay the foundations of buildings and the foundations of character. Once the builders of manuments to man's ingenuity, but now the builders of character—man's passport to paradise. Our teachers inspired freedom, Magna Charta, Declaration of American Independence, emancipation and the reward of merit."

The exercises Wednesday afternoon will begin at 4 o'clock with the processional hymn, followed by the reading of short Psalms, the creed, Lord's prayer and other short prayers, after another hymn be sung. Then there will be short addresses by ministers and laymen present, followed by the laying of the corner-stone by the Masons. After the singing of a hymn the exercises will come to a close.

The public is invited to attend and if the weather is favorable there will no doubt be a large crowd present to witness the imposing ceremonies.

FIFTH STREET REVIVAL.

Continues With Increased Interest and Attendance.

The revival which has been in progress at Fifth Street Methodist Church for the past week continues with increased interest and attendance. Services today at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Rev. C. A. Jones, who is assisting the pastor, Rev. G. T. Adams, is preaching practical and effective sermons and he has been heard with pleasure and profit by the large congregations present during the week. Another feature of the services is the singing which is directed by Mr. Chas. Dushan. The public is cordially invited to attend all the services.

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NEITHER SIDE COULD SCORE

Wilmington High School and Rocky Mount Apprentice Boys Met on Local Gridiron Yesterday Afternoon—Weather.

The Wilmington High School eleven and the Rocky Mount Atlantic Coast Line apprentice boys met on the local gridiron yesterday for the first game of the season in this city and fought through four quarters with neither side scoring. It was a splendid game and both sides displayed good work, though the playing at times was just the least ragged.

Owing to the miserable weather the attendance was rather small and certainly much smaller than what it would have been had the day been clear.

First quarter—Rocky Mount kicked off to Wilmington and Burnett received the ball on the five-yard line, advancing it 10 yards. On the third down Wilmington kicked and advanced the ball 10 yards. The Coast Liners were unable to make the necessary gain and the ball went over. Wilmington was penalized for holding and lost the ball on a fumble. Rocky Mount could not make gain and was forced to kick. Wilmington in turn kicked and the ball was blocked, but Wilmington recovered it. With the ball on Wilmington's three yard line the High School tried an onside kick and the Coast Liners secured the ball. However, in the shadow of the goal the High School line held and the quarter came to an end with Rocky Mount's ball on Wilmington's 10-yard line.

Second quarter—Rocky Mount lost the ball on downs and Wilmington punted. On a punt Rocky Mount gained about 30 yards. Rocky Mount then tried a drop kick for the goal but failed. Wilmington was penalized for holding. After several exchanges of kicks the half came to an end with the ball in the middle of the field.

Second half: Wilmington kicked off and Rocky Mount received the ball on her 20-yard line. Coast Liners attempted a forward pass but failed. Wilmington made several gains through the line. At this point Silverman was substituted for Stone. Rocky Mount was penalized for an illegal forward pass. The apprentice lads then attempted to punt, but it was blocked. Quarter ended with the ball in Wilmington territory.

Fourth quarter: Herring was substituted for Penny. On kick by Wilmington Herring made long run and recovered the ball. Rocky Mount was penalized for a foul tackle. Coast Liners made several gains by punts. Monroe substituted for Hashagen and recovered gick by a brilliant run. Wilmington made first successfully executed forward pass of the game, Houston breaking through line and recovering fumble by Rocky Mount. The game ended with the ball in Wilmington possession in the middle of the field.

The quarters were of ten minutes duration with three minute intermissions. Both teams played splendidly and were very evenly matched. Rocky Mount had the heavier back-field while the Wilmington line probably outweighed their opponents. The features of the game were the all-round good playing of Capt. Robert Burnett for the High School and the punting of Alred for Rocky Mount.

Coast Line		Wilmington
J. McRae	c	J. Wells
Derby	rg	H. Shaw
B. Quillen	rt	C. Burnett
Sedbury	re	Stone
		Silverman
Moore	lg	Penny
		Herring
Morris	lt	Meier
Lewis	le	Hashagen
		Monroe
E. Bolton, c	qb	Hall
E. Williams	rhb	R. Williams
Chadwick	lhb	Houston
Alred	fb	R. Burnett, c

Officials: Huntington, referee; Ruffin, field judge; Lynch, head linesman, assisted by one Wilmington and one Rocky Mount substitute; Rocky Mount's coach and McKoy, for Wilmington, timekeepers.

ATLANTIC YACHT CLUB SOLD.

Property on the Beach Acquired by Mr. J. J. Hopkins.

Mr. J. J. Hopkins has purchased the lot and building of the Atlantic Yacht Club on Wrightsville Beach and the actual transfer of the property will take place tomorrow. He bought the property from the executive committee of the club, which was empowered at the last annual meeting about a week ago to sell the property. The committee is composed of Messrs. J. Holmes Davis, Virginus Hall, F. E. Hashagen, James Owen Reilly and Col. Walker Taylor. The consideration was $3,500, which is considered cheap for the property. The use to which Mr. Hopkins will put the property has not been given out. The lot is 150 feet wide and extends from the ocean to the channel and has located upon it a club house, which has been open to members of the organization for a number of years.

SILVER EXPERT COMING.

Mr. Jones, of England, to Visit Wilmington This Week.

There is much interest here in the announcement of the proposed visit of Mr. E. Alfred Jones, of England, an expert on old silver, who is expected to arrive some time this week from Charleston, S. C., where he went last week. Mr. Jones is compiling a book called "Old Silver Vessels of American Churches," and Wilmington will afford him some rich material as well as all the other places he has visited. Mr. Jones comes to this country under the auspices of the Colonial Dames of America and he will come to Wilmington at the invitation of the local Colonial Dames.

Music at St. Andrew's Church

At the evening service at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church during the month of November Miss Cannie Chasten will be organist. There will be a quartette at this evening's service by the church choir, Miss Carrie White, Miss Sallie Smith, Mr. H. E. Boney and Mr. Geo. S. Boylan. Miss Lucy McIntosh will sing a solo and Miss McIntosh and Mr. McCravy will sing a duet. Strangers in the city are cordially invited to attend these services.

THE CONTRACT IS AWRDED

Mr. A. D. O'Brien Will Erect Factory of The Carolina Metal Products Company—Work Will Begin This Week

Mr. A. Dallam O'Brien, a well-known local contractor and builder, has been awarded the contract for the erection of the factory of the Carolina Metal Products Company, which will be located at corner of Sixth and Martin streets, in the block bounded by Fifth, Sixth, Martin and Greenfield streets, and the work will be commenced this week to be pushed to completion as rapidly as possible.

The building will be 50x100 feet in size, built of wood and covered with sheet metal products which will be manufactured by the company. The factory will be thoroughly equipped with all the modern machinery for the manufacture of sheet metal products and will be scientifically arranged throughout. All the machinery has been ordered and is awaiting the erection of the factory building before being shipped.

By the early part of the new year the company expects to have begun operations and be manufacturing corrugated metal culverts, sheet metal sidings, sheet metal roofing and all the other sheet metal products. The new enterprise will furnish employment to a large number of skilled men and the pay roll will be a large one.

Though a separate corporation, the Carolina Metal Products Company sprung from the Canton Culvert Company, of Canton, Ohio, one of the largest and most successful enterprises of its kind in the United States. The new company will be affiliated with the parent concern and with the wide experience of the older company and the splendid financial backing which it has, along with the many natural advantages of Wilmington as a location for such an industry, there can be little doubt of its success.

The site of Sixth and Martin streets is an ideal one and the company will have transportation facilities, both by rail and water, right at its doors, so to speak.

It will be the only enterprise of its kind in this section, if not in the State, and cannot fail to be a material factor in the commercial development of the city and surrounding section. Quite a number of successful business men of the city are interested in the enterprise and Mr. Theo. G. Empie, a most successful young business man, will be manager of the company. Mr. Empie visited the plant of the Canton Culvert Company during the Summer and obtained much knowledge which will be of great use to him in his new capacity. While on the trip North he also selected the machinery which will be used in the new plant.

REFORMATION DAY.

Wilmington Lutheran Churches Will Observe Day With Services.

Throughout the world today Lutherans and Lutheran Churches will celebrate their Reformation festival with fitting and appropriate services, in commemoration of that day 349 years ago when Martin Luther nailed his 99 theses to the door of the church in Wittenberg and sowed the seed for the Reformation which altered the religious map of the Universe.

It was on the eve of October 31st, All Saint's Day, that Luther nailed his theses to the door, but the celebration services are to be held on the Sunday falling nearest that date. Both Wilmington Lutheran churches will celebrate the day at morning and evening services and the sermons and music will be appropriate to the Reformation season.

At St. Paul's the pastor will preach on "Protestantism, the Absolute Religion," at the morning service and on "Christian Life in the Lutheran Church" at the vesper services. The music will be fitting to the occasion. On this day Lutherans think not only of past and present privileges, but of their duty in sending out the Gospel message for the whole world and hence it is incidentally a great mission day. Home missions will be the object of the Reformation Day gifts in the Southern Lutheran Church today and envelopes will be found in the pews for those who wish to make contributions.

The congregation of St. Matthew's Lutheran Church will observe the day with sermons on suitable themes by the pastor and special music appropriate to the Reformation season. There will be a morning and an evening service. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend these services and many Protestants of other denominations will doubtless be present.

The themes that will be used in the services throughout the world today do not center upon Luther himself as the man and reformer, but are fixed nearer the Cross. It is not the man Luther, but God, who is glorified in Lutheran churches on Reformation Day.

Real Estate Transfers

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Manhattan Company to W. M. Cumming and wife, for $295, lots 50, 51, 52, 53 and 106 in Fernside; Emma H. Maffitt to J. Irving Bear, for $10, lot on southeastern corner of Gwyn and MacRae streets, 66x66 feet in size; Preston Cumming and wife to W. M. Cumming, for $10 and other considerations, lot on Second, 66 feet south of Wooster street, 33x79 1-2 feet in size; Marcus Sidbury and wife to Henry Brown and wife, for $25, tract in Harnett township, containing about eight acres; T. E. Wallace and wife to E. M. Wilson and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot on southeastern corner of Third and Meares streets 60x90 feet in size.

W. F. Jones, Esq., Opens Office

Many friends will be interested in the announcement that William F. Jones, Esq., who was recently granted license by Supreme Court to practice law, has opened a law office in the Odd Fellows' Building, first floor, and will hereafter give all his time to the practice of his chosen profession. For some times Mr. Jones has been connected with the Atlantic Coast Line general offices, where he held an important position. He is well-known and is a most popular young man with great promise in the practice of law.

WORK UNDER OLD ORDINANCE

No Change in Plumbing Law, but Standard of Pipe is Changed and Inspector to Have Office in City Hall.

Final consideration of the proposed changes of the plumbing ordinance was given by the City Council in special session yesterday morning at 11 o'clock with Mayor Smith presiding and all members in attendance; also Assistant City Attorney Geo. L. Peschau, Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, city superintendent of health, and Col. H. C. White, who acted as clerk in the absence of Capt. Thos. D. Meares, the clerk and treasurer, who is in Philadelphia on official business.

After again going into the matter quite thoroughly it was decided to make no changes at present in the existing plumber law, but members of the Council expressed the hope that the ordinance now on the books of the city would be enforced. A resolution was adopted requiring the city plumbing inspector to have an office in the health department and another fixing the standard of pipe which may be used. Addressing the Council with regard to the matter Dr. Nesbitt said:

"After going into the matter thoroughly, we planned some changes in the law with a view to complete the inspection and oversight of plumbing and installation of plumbing. If, however, it is the will of the Council that we make effort to obtain sufficient plumbing inspection under the existing law, we will not ask for these changes with the single exception of standard pipe of 32 1-2 pounds, five feet long, 6 1-2 pounds one foot, four inch pipe. We change this on account of the fact that the present requirements of the law necessitate the plumbers putting in an extra line of pipe which will be an unnecessary expense. This change is the only change that we will ask to be made in the law now and we do this for the purpose of placing the old plumbing law in such condition that it can be enforced. That is, of course, in the event that the Council desires us to go ahead under the existing law and make an effort to secure installation of plumbing with instructions from the Council with reference to the matter. We expect to have a copy in the health department and a complete report of all instation," etc.

Offered by Councilman M. G. Tiencken the following resolution was seconded by Councilman B. C. Moore and unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That the plumbing inspector of the city of Wilmington shall hereafter make his office at the headquarters of the health department of the city, and that all reports appertaining to his work be filed there, and records thereof be kept there; that applications for permits shall hereafter be presented at the office of said health department.

"Adopted the 28th day of October, 1911."

After adopting an ordinance relative to the sizes of pipes to be considered standard the Council adjourned.

NEWS OF THE SHIPPING.

British Steamer Huron Arrives—Revenue Cutter in Search of Derelict.

The British steamer Huron came into port yesterday. Capt. Thomas brought this time a cargo of kainit to Heide & Co., for discharge at the S. A. L. warehouses.

Yesterday the steamer Carib cleared on its return trip to New York.

Yesterday the schooners Harry Prescott and Collins W. Walton arrived off Cape Fear bar, coming in on account of extremely rough weather at sea.

The City of Fayetteville, which was scheduled to arrive this morning at a late hour yesterday had failed to arrive, and probably arrived some time last night, or will show up this morning.

The United States Revenue Cutter Seminole yesterday afternoon steamed away in search of an unknown schooner reported abandoned 15 miles southeast of Frying Pan lightship. The derelict was reported to Capt. C. D. Maffitt, of this city, by the crew of the pilot boat D. H. Penton, of Southport, which spoke the schooner Harry Prescott, off Cape Fear bar yesterday morning, bound from Charleston north. The cutter will likely reach the abandoned schooner during the night or early this morning.

JONES BROS. CIRCUS.

Only Tented Attraction of the Season Here Tomorrow.

Jones Bros.' Combined Shows, so the billboards announce, will give two performances in Wilmington tomorrow, and the fact that this will be the only tented attraction to visit this city during the season, will make it doubly interesting to circus-goers.

While not one of the largest on the road by any means, press notices are high in their praise of this attraction, recommending it as a clean, high-class show, especially recommended to women and children, in other words "a family circus," and the afternoon performance will undoubtedly be especially attractive to them.

As stated in an advertisement elsewhere in today's Star the grounds at Fourth and Castle streets have been secured for the show, and the hours of opening are stated for both afternoon and night performances. Before each performance a spectacular free exhibition will be given on the grounds, which no one, especially the little ones, should miss. The prices will be 25c and 35c only, and no doubt a large crowd will attend.

MR. G. H. DRAPER TO SPEAK.

Will be Heard Today on "The Two Phases of God's Kingdom."

Mr. George H. Draper, of South Dakota, will speak at the Grand Theatre, on North Front street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock, his theme being "The Two Phases of God's Kingdom." He is said to be an earnest and devout Bible student and a forceful speaker and his address this afternoon will doubtless be heard by a large audience. He is on a speaking tour of several States, coming to Wilmington under the auspices of the International Bible Students' Association. The address will begin promptly at 3 o'clock. There will be no charge for admission and no collection is to be taken. Everybody is invited to attend.

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The attention of the discriminating buyers of this community has inevitably been drawn to this store, and our ever complete and extensive assortment of high-class merchandise.

Women who appreciate goods of quality and exclusive styles are sure to be pleased at this store.

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Our second floor is Full of House Furnishings, and we invite you to look through this department.

Lace Curtains, 85c to $10.00 a pair.

Portieres, $3.00 to $20.00 a pair.

Art Squares, $10.00 to $50.00 each.

Linoleum for Bath, Kitchen and Hall.

Velvet Carpets for Parlor, Hall and Stair, $1.00 a yard.

Long Kid Gloves, in White, Black and Tans.

Ball Fringe in all leading shades.

The Best 25c. Hair Ribbon in the City.

Baby Blankets, 50c. and upward.

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mr. W. M. Wiggins is back from a very pleasant vacation spent at Southport, N. C.

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Sheriff S. P. Cowan, Mrs. Cowan and Miss Alice Davis expect to leave tonight for New York city, where they will spend several days.

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Misses Marianne and Jessie Watt, of Thomasville, Ga., have returned to their home, after spending two weeks here, the guests of Miss Alice Borden, on North Third street..

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Mrs. H. H. Husband and daughter, Miss Lydia, and little son, Henry, of Florence, S. C., are visiting Mrs. Husband's sister, Mrs. A. S. Holden, at Winter Park Gardens.

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Charlotte Chronicle, Friday afternoon: "Miss Sue Prince, of Wilmington, will arrive in the city next week to spend some time as the guest of Miss Nancy Brown at her home on East avenue."

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The annual meeting of the Christian Association of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church will be held this afternoon at 4:30. Business of importance will be transacted and all members are requested to attend.

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Mr. Thos. D. Meares, Jr., a popular young Wilmingtonian, now located at Columbia, S. C., as district agent for one of the large insurance companies with offices in the "Skyscraper"' is at home to spend the week-end and is being cordially greeted by many friends.

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Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: "Miss Lavine Evans, who has been touring in Europe with friends since early in June, landed in New York yesterday. She will leave in a few days for Wilmington, to visit her brother, Mr. C. N. Evans, after which she will come on to Charlotte to spend some time with Mrs. J. W. Ferguson."

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Miss Hazel Mamrin, Miss Margaret Lewis, Miss Lena Belle Boynes and Miss Adelaide Jones returned on Friday from Durham, N. C., where they have been the past week taking State examination for Registered Nurses. They passed with honors and brought away highest averages made. They were entertained most cordially by the staff of Watts Hospital, doctors and friends in that city.

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Dr. William Houston Moore will leave tonight for Danville, Pa., where Wednesday afternoon he and Miss Mary Ida Gallagher will be united in marriage, the ceremony to take place at Yorks Farm, the home of Miss M. Ida Yorks, aunt of the bride-elect. Dr. Moore will be accompanied by his brother, Councilman B. C. Moore. Dr. Moore and his bride will visit several Northern cities and will be at home at the northwest corner of Third and Chesnut streets after December 1st.

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Maxton, N. C., Oct. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Williams returned Friday morning from their bridal trip to New York and other Northern cities——Miss Blanche Fore, of Richmond, who has been visiting Miss Sallie Lou McKinnon, left Wednesday for a visit to relatives in Wilmington——Mr. Hector McLean, president of the Bank of Robeson, has returned from Clifton Springs, N. Y.——Mrs. N. H. D. Wilson, of Wilmington, spent Monday night in town the guest of Mrs. A. J. McKinnon. She was returning from Mt. Gilead where she attended the district meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Rockingham district.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Miss Mattie Howell, of Enfield, and Miss Augusta Thompson, of Faison, were visitors in the city yesterday, stopping at The Orton.

—Among the arrivals at The Orton yesterday were: Emmet E. Levy, Raleigh; A. R. McEachern, St. Paul's; J. C. Murphy, of Greensboro.

—Policemen W. R. Applebury, T. M. Hall and Leon George returned yesterday from Fayetteville, where they did patrol duty during the Cumberland county fair in progress there Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

—Among the arrivals at The Southern yesterday were John F. Rivers, Polkton; Chas. C. Rogers, Rose Hill; T. B. Cooper, Florence; J. F. Singletary, Bolton; N. T. Flynn, Burgaw; F. W. Bordeaux and M. E. Applewhite, Lemon Springs; C. F. Wooten, Southport.

—Capt. Thos. D. Meares, city clerk and treasurer, who, with City Attorney Herbert McClammy, went to Philadelphia a few days ago to confer with the bondholders of the Wilmington Sewerage Co., with reference to proposed sale of the plant to the city, is expected to return this morning.

—Capt. Robert Green returned Friday night from Fayetteville where he attended the Cumberland County Fair during the past week and was the guest of old friends in the Upper Cape Fear Metropolis. Capt. Green was on purely a pleasure trip and was delighted with the hospitable people of Fayetteville, of whom he says there are 'none better."

STILL PULLING TRADE

Outsiders Rapidly Becoming to Know The Wilmington Merchants

The Wilmington trade extension movement is still going forward with unabated interest as the splendid proposition becomes better known over the large territory. Following the excellent letter from the Southern National Bank, which spoke in the highest terms of its methods, it has created more interest, botn among the merchants and the out-of-town people.

Notwithstanding the low price of cotton, which to a certain extent has depressed trade in general in this section this Fall, the movement has been kept alive and there has been no letup in the hundreds of advertising circulars that are going forward from the city weekly.

The slogan "Trade in Wilmington and get your fare paid," is rapidly growing in popularity over the territory and there is every evidence of success for the movement.

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GAVE ENJOYABLE CONCERT

Metropolitan Concert Company at Academy of Music Last Night

The Metropolitan Concert Company gave a concert at the Academy of Music last night to a small but highly appreciative audience and more than fulfilled the anticipation of those present and fully sustained the reputation of members of the company as artists of the highest type. Every number was a gem and those who failed to take advantage of the opportunity to hear an exceptional musical treat missed much.

The first number was the Spinning song by the quartette and was rendered as only singers of great culture can render it. The blending of the voices was perfect, producing the most beautiful harmony. The applause was generous, showing the appreciation of the audience. The next number was a tenor solo, "Before the Dawn," by Mr. J. Humbird Duffey, who possesses a magnificent clear, rooust tenor voice of the purest quality. This was followed by the singing of a beautiful ballad "Constancy," sung with deep feeling and splendid interpretation and elicited much applause, after which he rendered with great dramatic effect and power "As In Waves Without Number," which proved one of the finest things in this line presented here in years.

Miss Christine Miller then thoroughly delighted her hearers with her beautiful contralto voice which is indeed the voice of a really great singer. Her rendition of the three special numbers assigned to her on the programme being perfection itself and each number drew very generous applause to which she very graciously responded.

The next number was a real gem, "A Pastoral," most beautifully rendered by Mlle Chilson-Ohrman, who possesses a voice which can best be described by likening it to the voice of the mocking bird or the tones of a fluete so sweet is it, her rendition of each number thrilling her hearers to the depths. Well may it be said that she is a singer of the highest class, one who deserves the rapturous applause she received, especially after her magnificent rendition of that song "Annie Laurie," which was sung with deep pathos.

The quartette rendering "Tubal Cain," a ballad, proved another splendid number which gave great pleasure to all, the only criticism being that there was too little of it.

Frederic Martin is still Frederic Martin and that statement covers volumes in his favor. His rendering of "The Monk" was the presentation of a thought in song as only a great singer can present it, and tais is characteristic of his work—the work of a true artist.

Mr. Louis Potter presided at the piano and his execution and technique are superb and called forth round after round of applause.

A quartette of great artists was here and the people of Wilmington have lost a rare opportunity to enjoy a real treat and incidentally have done that which tends to discourage all effort to provide Wilmington with anything of this class of entertainment. For some unaccountable reason some of the leading musicians of the city were absent last night and they, too, missed a rare treat.

The company appeared here under the auspices of the Boys' Brigade and Mr. Chas. Dushan, secretary of that organization, has the thanks of all who attended the concert for bringing the quartette to Wilmington.

FOR THEFT OF HARNESS

Negro Is Held for Recorder's Court Tomorrow Morning

John Love, colored, was tried before Justice Harriss yesterday afternoon on a charge of the theft of a set of buggy harness from the City Livery Company and probable cause being found, he was held for the Recorder's court Monday morning. Bond was fixed in the sum of $250, which he was unable to give.

The case was somewhat involved, on account of the fact that Love claimed to have received the harness from Charlie Smith, colored, an employe of the City Livery Company, with whom he bargained to sell the harness for $5, for which service he was to keep $1. He claimed that he sold the harness to J. D. Burnett, colored, for the sum of $5 and that he gave $4 of the sum to Smith. When Smith took the stand he denied the charge and told a straight story. He has been in the employ of the City Livery Company for 20 years and bears a very good reputation. Burnett then took the stand and stated that Love had only pawned the harness to him for $5 and that he had told him that the harness belonged to his (Love's) mother, and that she wished to sell them.

The evidence seemed to be against Love and he was held, while the larceny charge against Smith and a charge of receiving stolen goods against Burnett were dropped.

NEGRO DROPS DEAD.

Hugh Waddell Passed Away Suddenly on Street Last Night.

Hugh Waddell, colored, dropped to the sidewalk in front of Mr. S. B. Long's grocery store on South Front street last evening shortly after 8 o'clock and died a few minutes later in the grocery store, where he had been carried by persons who saw him fall. What caused the man's sudden death is unknown. The coroner was notified, but as no one had made an affidavit that there had been foul play he could take no action. Chief of Police John J. Fowler went to the store and viewed the body, afterward giving permission to members of the man's family to carry the remains to the home. The negro was about 60 or 65 years old.

Goes With Mr. J. O. Reilly.

Mr. Geo. B. Applewhite, formerly of the Atlantic Coast Line general offices, and Mr. Wm. James, another well known young man of this city, have entered the office of Mr. James Owen Reilly, the well known real estate and insurance man, as sales agents. Both are energetic young men and are valuable acquisitions to Mr. Reilly's corps of helpers in his ever increasing business.

DIED

SWANN—In Asheville, N. C., on the morning of the 27th instant, MISS SALLIE M. SWANN, daughter of the late Frederick J. and Ann. Sophia Swann, aged 90 years.

Funeral from St. James' church this (Sunday) afternoon at 4 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

LOCAL DOTS.

—In the directors room of the Y. M. C. A., the regular monthly meeting of the Yoke Fellows will be held Monday night at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

—Owing to the fact that there were no cases on the docket for trial there was no session of the Recorder's court yesterday morning for the first time in quite a while.

—The regular weekly meeting of the Ministerial Association will be held in the directors' room of the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, when business of importance will come up for discussion.

—J. Patterson and J. D. Duffie, two white sailors of the revenue cutter Seminole, were arrested yesterday afternoon at Water and Princess streets on charges of disorderly conduct. They will probably be tried in the Recorder's court tomorrow morning.

—Constable W. B. Savage arrested a negro by the name of J. Jackson in front of the Bijou theatre on Front street last night about 10:30 o'clock for having in his possession a large and murderous looking revolver. He was committed to jail by Justice Harriss to await trial tomorrow morning.

—Rev. C. A. Jones, who is assisting in the revival at Fifth Street Methodist Church, will be the speaker at the meeting at the Bijou theatre at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon, held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. His subject will be "Decision." The public is invited to attend.

—Rev. R. E. Peele, pastor of the Baptist church at Burgaw, is conducting a revival at Wrightsboro Baptist church. The meeting has been in progress for about a week and considerable interest has been shown by members of the church. The revival will continue for several days yet.

—The appointment of the Yoke Fellows of the Y. M. C. A. for today are as follows: City prison, R. F. Coleman; county home, J. B. Huntington and H. Wormersly; Castle Haynes, M. O. Alexander and A. Cowan; Wrightsboro Union Sunday School, V. Hall and I. W. Cooper; and Seminole, H. G. Bowden. The regular devotional meeting will be held Monday evening.

VENERABLE LADY PASSES

Miss Sallie Swann Died in Asheville Friday---Funeral Here

The death of Miss Sallie Moore Swann, which occurred in Asheville, N. C., on Friday, the 27th inst., removes one of the last survivors of a wide circle of contemporary friends belonging to the earlier days of the lower Cape Fear community.

Miss Swann was born in 1821 and had, therefore, attained the advanced age of 90 years. The daughter of one of the most prominent families of this section distinguished in Colonial history, she was closely related to the Moores, the Greens and others who were among the leaders of the social life of the early years of the nineteenth century in this State, and there are many still living who remember her as one of the brightest and most agreeable ladies of the old school, of engaging manners, bright wit, and charming conversational powers.

Of a large number of brothers and sisters only, Mr. James G. Swann, now a resident of Asheville, survives her, but she leaves many nephews, nieces and other relations.

She was long a member of St. James' Episcopal church, in the choir of which she was the leading singer in her younger days. The body will be brought here and the funeral be held from St. James' church at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

COUNTY RURAL TEACHERS

Regular Monthly Meeting Held Yesterday Morning

In spite of the disagreeable weather nearly every rural school teacher in the county was present at the regular monthly meeting of the New Hanover County Teachers' Association held in the Court House yesterday morning with Prof. Washington Catlett, county superintendent of public instruction, presiding. Some of the teachers came from the lower part of the county, notwithstanding that the weather was not conductive to travel. A number of matters of interest to the teachers were discussed during the two hours' session as well as the carrying out of the regular programme. Prof. Catlett is interested in the plan for corn clubs in the various districts with a central organization composed of the district clubs, but did not have time to give consideration to the proposition at the meeting yesterday. It will probably be fully considered at the next meeting.

First Basketball Game.

The first basketball games of the season were played at the Y. M. C. A. last evening when the Rattlers defeated the Ramblers 31 to 7, and the Giants won from the Athletics to the tune of 30 to 9. The lads have only been practicing for a short time and are not quite in form yet, which accounts for the large scores that were made. Much interest is being manifested in the popular game this season and it is expected that some fine contests will be witnessed ere the Winter is over.

AUTO EXPERT IN PERIL.

The great automobile industry which is the marvel of the twentieth century, has been developed at a terrific cost of human energy.

The well known automobile engineer of New York City, C. M. Archer, had a very trying experience which he relates in a letter as follows: "As a result of overwork in my profession my health became broken down a year ago. This grew worse and I became very weak and nervous. Then I began to take Vinol and now I am strong and well again.

"Vinol has certainly worked a miracle in my case. It is the greatest body builder I have ever seen and nothing equals it. You may publish this for the benefit of every man and woman who wants to know the way back to health and strength."

There are many overworked men and women in this town who ought to take Vinol right now and recover their health and strength while they can. Do not delay another day. We guarantee Vinol to do you good and give you back your money if it does not. Robt. R. Bellamy, Druggist, Wilmington, N. C.

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SECOND DAY'S SESSION.

Much Interest Marks Brunswick Sunday School Convention.

The second day's session of the Brunswick Baptist Sunday School convention was held yesterday in the Lebanon church, Funston, with a large attendance. The meeting was an enthusiastic one and much interest was manifested in the proceedings.

Several interesting discussions on pertinent subjects occupied the attention of the gathering during the day. One was "How to Fill a Sunday School With Students," which was discussed by Mr. I. D. Harrelson, Mr. G. C. Hickmon, Rev. D. L. Hewitt and others. Another subject was, "What Sort of Sunday School Teachers Does This Progressive Age Need." Rev. J. A. Bryson, Rev. J. L. Jenkins and others made talks on this subject. Rev. J. A. Bryson, Mr. Renson and others also discussed "Baraca and Philathea Movements." Dinner was served on the grounds. The convention will come to a close today. Rev. J. L. Jenkins will preach this morning.

COLORED FOLKS MEET HERE.

Grand Lodge to Hold Annual Session This Week—Features.

A large number of colored people from all parts of the State will be in Wilmington this week to attend the annual meeting of the State Grand Lodge of N. C. I. O. of G. S. and D. of S. in U. S. A., which will convene Tunesday morning at 9:30 o'clock. The welcome will be delivered Tuesday night at St. Stephen's A. M. E. Zion Church by Hon. Joseph D. Smith, mayor of Wilmington, and welcoming remarks will also be made by Councilman P. Q. Moore, who is another orator of the City Council. The response to the addresses will be made by L. A. Davis and after her remarks there will be short addresses by others. The annual sermon of the Grand Lodge will be preached at Mt. Zion Church on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Delegates will be here from all parts of the State and the colored people of this city will endeavor to make their stay here a pleasant one.

LITERARY SOCIETY FORMED

First Meeting Friday Night at Y. M. C. A.---Pulling for Members

At a meeting of a number of young men at the Y. M. C. A. Friday night the literary feature of the Association was revived and a society formed to hold debates and discuss literary topics.

Much interest was manifested by all present and determined efforts will be made to get young men of the community, both members of the Association and others to join and participate in the debates and discussions which are being outlined.

Meetings will be held every Friday night for the present in an endeavor to create a general interest and special work for the officers, which were duly elected at the initial meeting, in the way of attracting new members, was assigned to them last night. All young men interested in literary work are invited to the meetings.

INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT.

Rev. Dr. W. H. Milton Goes to Bedside of His Brother.

In response to a telegram received early in the morning stating that his brother had been injured in an automobile accident in Jacksonville, Fla., Rev. Dr. Wm. H. Milton, rector of St. James' Episcopal Church, left yesterday to be at his bedside. It is probable that Dr. Milton will be out of the city for several days and his many friends will wish for his brother a speedy recovery. A special dedicatory service was to have been held at St. James' today when a pulpit from the family of the late Col. W. L. DeRosset and a font cover presented by Mrs. Kate Meares as a memorial to her mother, were to have been formally received. This formality will be postponed until next Sunday's service.

First Lyceum Attraction.

The first attraction of the Boys Brigade Lyceum Course will be presented in the auditorium of the institution Monday night, November 6th, when the Neil Litchfield Trio, popularly known as "The Laugh Makers", will present some refined comedy sketches and impersonations. Uninterrupted laughter from the beginning to the end of the programme is promised. Seats for the attraction will be on sale Saturday and Monday, November 4th and 6th.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcements by Wilmington Pastors for Pulpits Today.

St. Thomas' church—First mass, 7 A. M.; last mass sermon, 10:30 A. M.; vespers, 7:45 P. M.

First Church of Christ, Scientists, Market and 17th streets.—Services at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Subject of lesson sermon: "Everlasting Punishment." All are invited.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran church, North Fourth street, Rev. H. E. Beatty, pastor. Sunday Festival of the Reformation at the 11 o'clock service. Reformation sermon. Special music. Divine service also at 7:30 P. M. Sunday school, 10 A. M. Wednesday, 8 P. M., congregational meeting, followed by a social hour in the Sunday School parlor. A cordial invitation to all.

St. John's church, Third and Red Cross streets, Rev. W. E. Cox, rector.—Holy communion, 7:30 A. M.; service and sermon, 11 A. M.; Sunday school, 4 P. M. Evening prayer, 5 P. M. Seats free. All are cordially invited.

Grace M. E. church, corner Fourth and Grace streets, Rev. J. C. Wooten, pastor. At 11 A. M. Sermon by the pastor, 7:30 P. M. Sermon and installation of Baraca officers of the class. Sunday school, 3:30 P. M., L. B. Rogers, superintendent. You are invited to attend all these services.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, corner of Sixth and Market streets, Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor. Reformation festival. English service, 11 A. M.; vesper services, 7:30 P. M.; Sunday school, 3:30 P. M. Christian Association, 4:30 P. M. A cordial invitation to all. Seats free.

Trinity Methodist church, corner Ninth and Market streets, Rev. E. C. Sell, pastor. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Sunday school at 3:30 P. M. The public is invited to all the services.

Only service at St. James' church today will be evening prayer, at 5:30, by Rev. T. P. Noe.

SHOOTING AFFRAY LAST NIGHT.

John McMillan, Colored, Wounded by Bullet from Unknown Negro's Gun.

Following a quarrel that grew out of a "crap" game, it is said, John McMillan, colored, was shot and badly injured last night about 11:30 o'clock at Merritt's wood yard, near Sixth street bridge, by a negro whose name the police were unable to learn definitely, but whom they believe to be one Bob Black. McMillan was taken to the James Walker Memorial Hospital and the officers kept up a vigorous search for his assailant, but up to an early hour this morning they had not succeeded in locating him.

The negro fired three shots at McMillan, only one of which took effect, entering the left side of the neck in front and lodging somewhere in the flesh. It was stated at the hospital last night that he was probably not seriously injured, as the bullet seemed to have severed no large blood vessels.

Mule Calls on Undertaker

A large drab-colored mule of an extremely pessimistic cast of countenance, hitched to a buggy and driven by an ebony-hued person decorated with a large smile, furnished considerable amusement for number of persons on Princess street in Front of Mr. Walter E. Yopp's undertaking establishment late yesterday afternoon. Just in front of Mr. Yopp's place his muleship decided that he was tired and stopped stock still. After an ineffectual attempt to urge him onward his driver turned him around and made a fresh start, but to no avail Mr. Mule flattened his long ears on the back of his head and solemnly started to march into the undertaking parlor. He was almost in the door when his driver jumped out and stopped him. Several pedestrians helped the man back the unwilling animal off the sidewalk and after he had been allowed to stand in the rain for a time the mule decided that he would proceed, much to the delight of his driver.

WILL CLOSE TODAY

Sunday School Convention to Come to an End This Morning

An interesting programme occupied the attention of the delegates at the second day's session of the Sunday School Convention of the Wilmington Baptist Association, which was held in the church at Seagate, Greenville Sound, yesterday.

There was a good attendance and much enthusiasm was shown. Several live topics were up for consideration and the discussion was a lively one and was participated in by a number of the laymen and ministers. The closing session of the convention will be held this morning. Rev. R. E. Peele, of Burgaw, will preach the concluding sermon.

Who has the largest stock of draperies in the city? Don't all speak at once. **

The Midnight Cup of Old New Orleans

For nearly two hundred years beautiful women and brave men have enjoyed this aromatic coffee at the old French Market in New Orleans. Andrew Jackson, Henry Clay and other famous men have praised its entrancing flavor. The fierce old pirate, La Fitte, used to come ashore, disguised, to visit the French Market and get his cup of coffee.

Then you could procure

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nowhere else, but *now* you all may serve it daily at your own tables. For the old French Market blend is perpetuated by

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Below you will find a list of pianos which have been traded in for new Stieffs:

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Fine art case design in excellent condition, good, full tone.
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A good piano for a beginner, nice, easy action, good tone, a real bargain.
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Terms can be made to suit the purchaser.

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At F. T. Mills' Sales Stable, at 12 M., November 3rd, there will be offered a Very Choice Consignment of

HORSES and MULES.

Among them are some Extra Good Drivers; also General Purpose and Work Horses. This stock was bought from the farmers of Kentucky by Experienced Buyers; therefore, no second profits to pay; no reserve bid. Sale Rain or Shine.

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QUALITY the same all the time has made it the

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In sealed cans to insure you of receiving the only "original quality."

Economical on account of its double strength. Ask your Grocer to supply you.

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We offer 400 bundles of whole Second-hand Cotton Ties at 67 1-2 cents per bundle, F. O. B. Rockingham, N. C., subject to being unsold.

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Financial and Commercial

COTTON EXHIBITS STEADINESS

Neither Cable News or Weather Reports Affected Cotton Market Yesterday—Sharp Reaction Under Realizing.

New York, Oct. 28.—Throughout most of the forenoon cotton exhibited considerable steadiness at times being a point or so above the previous night's close on some positions, from which final sharp reactions occurred under heavy realizing so that last prices of the day were 6 to 8 points net lower with the tone barely steady.

The market opened steady with prices from one point higher to four points lower. Nothing in the cable news nor the domestic weather situation occurred to affect sentiment very much one way or the other, but there was enough interest taken in the reported increase of the Southern holding movement to check any aggressive bear pressure. It was estimated that the speculative short interest in the New York market is anywhere from 500,000 to a million bales and the bears have been figuring on the South to supply them with all the cotton they need to cover their shorts at around nine cents for January. There has been steady buying at this level for some time past, but big short interest is being steadily reduced. The South was a fair seller on Saturday, but if the Texas holding movement extends to the Eastern belt as well, there may be some difficulty experienced in covering the balance of this cotton. At the close of the week, however, with the China situation still acute the big shorts appeared to be confident in their position. Unsettled weather with rather low temperatures prevailed in the west belt, but the tropical storm which caused so much anxiety the previous day appeared to have been sidetracked somewhere in the Gulf of Mexico.

Receipts today at the ports 65,000 bales against 64,604 last week and 67,534 last year; for the week 500,000 against 500,452 last week and 394,300 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 10,209 against 8,627 last year, and at Houston 15,403 against 12,825 last year.

Spot closed dull, 5 points lower. Middling uplands, 9.45; middling gulf, 9.70; sales, none.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	9.09	9.12	9.03	9.05
February	.....	.....	.....	9.09
March	9.19	9.22	9.15	9.16
April	.....	.....	.....	9.22
May	9.30	9.34	9.27	9.28
June	.....	.....	.....	9.32
July	9.39	9.41	9.35	9.36
August	9.30	.....	.....	9.32
September	9.28	9.28		9.27
October	.....	9.16	9.09	9.11
November	9.20	9.12	9.12	9.09
December	9.31	9.31	9.22	9.24

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 9½; net receipts, 21,483; gross receipts, 23,483; sales, 1,274; stock, 185,800; Great Britain, 11,203; continent, 4,342; coastwise, 2,461.

New Orleans—Quiet, 9⅛; net receipts, 10,209; gross receipts, 10,475; sales, 1,895; stock, 87,129; Great Britain, 5,443; France, 672.

Mobile—Steady, 9⅛; net receipts, 3,327; gross receipts, 3,327; sales, 475; stock, 56,663; France, 206.

Savannah—Steady, 9; net receipts, 16,928; gross receipts, 16,928; sales, 2,920; stock, 205,813; continent, 20,401; coastwise, 3,417.

Charleston—Steady, 9; net receipts, 1,807; gross receipts, 1,807; stock, 54,010; continent, 11,336.

Wilmington—Steady, 9; net receipts, 5,436; gross receipts, 5,436; stock, 35,688; coastwise, 200.

Norfolk—Net receipts, 5,609; gross receipts, 6,159; sales, 1,066; stock, 32,446; coastwise, 4,602.

Baltimore—Nominal, 9⅜; stock, 6,854.

New York—Dull, 9.45; gross receipts, 12,397; stock, 82,630; Great Britain, 500; continent, 1,401; coastwise, 6,666.

Boston—Dull, 9.45; net receipts, 1,016; gross receipts, 10,125; stock, 12,572.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 9.70; gross receipts, 8.50; stock, 2,921; continent, 600.

Texas City—Quiet; net receipts, 3,120; gross receipts, 3,121; stock, 14,737.

Brunswick—Stock, 14,181.

Pensacola—Net receipts, 800; gross receipts, 800; continent, 800.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 69,735; Great Britain, 11,702; continent, 44,323; stock, 791,404.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 69,735; Great Britain, 11,702; continent, 44,323.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 3,106,359; Great Britain, 1,067,583; France, 287,225; continent, 894,812; Japan, 29,803; Mexico, 650.

THE INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 9½; net receipts, 15,403; gross receipts, 15,403; shipments, 16,152; sales, 1,857; stock, 118,545.

Augusta—Steady, 9¼; net receipts, 3,643; gross receipts, 4,031; shipments, 2,012; sales, 1,139; stock, 66,396.

Memphis—Steady, 9⅝; net receipts, 4,827; gross receipts, 6,972; shipments, 6,147; sales, 2,400; stock, 95,904.

St. Louis—Quiet, 9¾; net receipts, 800; gross receipts, 2,883; shipments, 2,683; stock, 11,052.

Cincinnati—Quiet; net receipts, 1,300; gross receipts, 1,300; shipments, 258; sales, 400; stock, 6,831.

Little Rock—Quiet, 9¼; net receipts, 1,996; gross receipts, 1,996; shipments, 1,888; stock, 21,111.

Total today—Net receipts, 27,969; gross receipts, 32,635; shipments, 29,140; sales, 5,896; stock, 319,839.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot, Quiet; Prices, Eight Points Higher. Sales, 5,000 Bales.

Liverpool, October 28.—Spot, quiet; prices, eight points higher; American middling fair, 5.75; good middling, 5.39; middling, 5.25; low middling, 5.15; good ordinary, 5.01; ordinary, 4.81.

The sales of the day were 5,000 bales, of which 300 were for speculation and export, and included 3,600 American.

Receipts, none. Futures opened steady and closed steady. October, 5.07; October and November, 5.03; November and December, 4.96½; December and January, 4.96½; January and February, 4.98; February and March, 5.00½; March and April, 5.02½; April and May, 5.04½; May and June, 5.06½; June and July, 5.08½; July and August, 5.09½; August and September, 5.07½; September and October, 5.05; October and November, 5.03½.

THE NAVAL STORES MARKET.

New York, October 28.—Rosin and turpentine, steady.

Savannah, October 28.—Turpentine, firm at 46¾@47; sales, 2,11; receipts, 679; shipments, 307; stock, 36,229.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 1,997; receipts, 2,773; shipments, 600; stocks, 87,232. Quote: B, 6.45; D, 6.50; E, 6.55@6.65; F, 6.62@6.65; G, H, I and L, 6.65; M, 6.65@6.87½; N, 6.75@6.87½; W G, 7.20; W W, 7.50.

Charleston, October 28.—Turpentine and rosin, unchanged.

The Peanut Market.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., Oct. 14.—Market, dull; no trading. Farmers' stock exhausted. Shelled No. 1, Spanish, 6¼c. to 6½c. per lb.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Br. str. Huron, 1,990 tons, Thomas, Bremen, Heide & Co.

Cleared.

Amer. str. Carib, Hale, New York, H. G. Smallbones.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Huron (Br.), 1,990 tons, Thomas, Heide & Co.

Putney Bridge, 2,147 tons, Robinson, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Wingle (Br.), 1,583 tons, Butcher, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Shira (Br.), 2,401 tons, Cann, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Ballochmyle (Br.), 2,105 tons, Cafferata, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Philip M. Brooks, 248 tons, Mumford, C. D. Mafflitt.

Edward R. Baird, Jr., 238 tons, Colbourn, C. D. Mafflitt.

Schr. Linah C. Kaminski, 421 tons, Christensen, C. D. Mafflitt.

Eliza A. Scribner, 350 tons, Dodd, C. D. Mafflitt.

Sylvia C. Hall, 285 tons, Sprague, C. D. Mafflitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 28.

Atlantic Coast Line—4,740 bales cotton; 15 casks spirits turpentine; 50 barrels rosin; 34 barrels tar; 48 barrels crude turpentine.

Seaboard Air Line—696 bales cotton; 36 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—5,436 bales cotton; 15 casks spirits turpentine; 50 barrels rosin; 34 barrels tar; 84 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, October 28.—Flour, quiet and barely steady. Patents 5.30@5.50; winter straights, 4.20@4.50; winter patents, 4.35@4.70¼.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Corn Meal—Firm.

Rye—Dull.

Barley—Steady.

Wheat—Spot, steady; No. 2, red, 99¼, elevator, export basis, and 1.00 f.o.b. afloat; No. 1, northern Duluth, 1.15¾ f.o.b. afloat. Options, net unchanged to ¼c. lower; December, 1.03⅛; May, 1.08¾.

Corn—Spot, steady; No. 2, export, 80c., nominal, f.o.b. afloat. Options, nominal.

Oats—Spot, steady. Standard white, 52½ elevator; No. 2, 53; options, nominal.

Pork—Steady.

Beef—Firm.

Cut Meats—Quiet.

Lard—Firm.

Tallow—Firm.

Petroleum—Steady.

Rosin—Steady.

Turpentine—Steady.

Rice—Firm.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw, nominal; refined, quiet.

Coffee—Futures, ten to thirteen points net lower. Spot, quiet; Rio, No. 7, 15¾; Santos, No. 4, 16¾; mild, quiet; Cordova, 17@19, nominal.

Potatoes—Firm. Maine, per bag, 2.25@2.40; Southern sweet, 1.75@2.00.

Cabbages—Steady and unchanged.

Freights—Unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Butter—Firm.

Cheese—Firm.

Eggs—Firm.

Cotton Seed Oil—A trifle lower, under reports of easier crude markets, selling of March for account of refined, poor outside speculative demand, and with the decline in cotton. Spot closed ten points lower and futures 1@4 net lower. November, 5.38@5.61; December, 5.50@5.51; January, 5.50@5.52; February, 5.54@5.57; March, 5.57@5.59; prime crude, 4.40@4.47; do. summer yellow, 5.65@6.25; do. winter yellow, 5.60 bid; do. summer white, 5.50@6.20.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 28.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady, 43¾ cents.

ROSIN—Steady, 5.95.

TAR—Firm at $1.80 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$3.25 per barrel for hard; $4.50 for dip, and $4.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin, nothing doing; tar, firm, $2.60; crude turpentine, firm, at $4.50@$6.00.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	15
Rosin	50
Tar	34
Crude Turpentine	84

Receipts same day last year, 35 casks spirits turpentine; 200 barrels rosin; 32 barrels tar; 28 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, 9 cents.

Same day last year, nothing doing.

Receipts, 5,436 bales; same day last year 3,272 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Oct. 25th.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, 85 to $1.00 per bu.; North Carolinas, $1.00 to $1.25; Spanish, $1.10 to $1.25.

CORN—Firm; .85 to .87½c. per bu.

PEAS—Out of season.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, $1.25 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, dull, .03@.04 per lb.

PORK—Out of season.

WOOL—Burry, .11@.12c. per lb.; free of burr, .17 to .18 per lb.

HIDES—Green, .08 to .08½ per lb.; dry, 12 to .13 per lb

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 20c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 13c. to 14c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; .27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, out of season. Chickens, grown, .40@.45 per head; chickens, spring, 15@35 per head; Geese, .50 per head.

EGGS—Fair demand, .21 to .22 per doz.

SHEEP—Lambs, .90 to $2.50 per head; grown sheep, .90 to $2.25.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, October 28.—Linens are held firm for immediate delivery in primary markets. Cotton goods are easier in print cloth numbers and revisions are being made in some outside lines of percales and ginghams. Yarns are in better inquiry. The spot demand for seasonable merchandise is very steady, but buying is close.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, October 28.—Money on call, nominal. Time loans, easier; sixty days, 3¼@3½, and ninety days, 3½@3¾; six months, 3¾@4.

Prime mercantile paper, 4½@4¾ per cent.; sterling exchange, easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.83@60 for sixty days, and at 4.86@85 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.87½. Bar silver, 54¾. Mexican dollars, 46.

Averts Awful Tragedy.

Timely advice given Mrs. C. Willoughby, of Marengo, Wis., (R. No. 1) prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. Doctors had said her frightful cough was a "consumption" cough and could do little to help her. After many remedies failed, her aunt urged her to take Dr. King's New Discovery. "I have been using it for some time," she wrote, "and the awful cough has almost gone. It also saved my little boy when taken with a severe bronchial trouble." This matchless medicine has no equal for throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

THE STOCK MARKET EXCITING

Buying Movement Took Place Instead the Flood of Selling Orders In The Stock Market

New York, Oct. 28.—The excitement which the stock market responded yesterday to the government's suit for dissolution of the United States Steel Corporation had disappeared almost completely by the time trading was begun today. In place of the flood of selling orders there was a buying movement of sufficient proportions to prevent an extension of the decline in the steel securities. During most of the session both the common and preferred stock ruled above yesterday's final prices and both issues closed with substantial fractional gains. The general market exhibited a strong tone and a large part of yesterday's losses were recovered. Chairman Gary's statement of the position of the Steel Corporation in regard to the government's suit was regarded as to some extent responsible for the movement. Another fact or in the market position of the steel stocks, was the demand from the short interest, which apparently judged it wise to cover up on a rather extensive scale.

In the general stock market pronounced strength was shown by the Harriman stocks the coalers, coppers and a number of the industrials.

The rise in prices was foreshadowed by the strength shown by American stocks in London before the opening here.

Bonds were firm with a large demand for the Erie issues. Total sales par value $1,912,000. United States 3s advanced 1-8c on call on the week. Total sales stocks for the day 387,300 shares.

THE CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	10
Amalgamated Copper	52¼
American Agricultural	49
American Beet Sugar	57⅜
American Can	9⅞
American Car and Foundry	46⅞
American Cotton Oil	44
American Hide and Leather, pfd	20
American Ice Securities	17¼
American Linseed	8¼
American Locomotive	32½
American Smelting and Refining, pfd	100⅜
American Steel Foundries	28
American Sugar Refining	115
American Tel and Tel	134
American Tobacco, pfd	94
American Woolen	30
Anaconda Mining Co	33¼
Atchison	105¼
Atchison, pfd	103½
Atlantic Coast Line	125
Baltimore and Ohio	96½
Bethlehem Steel	27½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	73⅞
Canadian Pacific	233¾
Central Leather	20¼
Central Leather, pfd	92
Central of New Jersey	290
Chesapeake and Ohio	71¼
Chicago and Alton	25
Chicago Great Western	18
Chicago Great Western, pfd	37
Chicago and North Western	143½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	107
C., C., C. and St. Louis	63
Colorado Fuel and Iron	25½
Colorado and Southern	47
Consolidated Gas	136⅝
Corn Products	9¾
Delaware and Hudson	164
Denver and Rio Grande	23
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	47½
Distillers' Securities	29½
Erie	31¼
Erie, 1st pfd	50⅞
Erie, 2nd pfd	42¼
General Electric	147¾
Great Northern, pfd	123¾
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	41¼
Illinois Central	137½
Interborough Met	14½
Interborough Met., pfd	44¾
Inter Harvester	104
Inter Marine, pfd	14
International Paper	10
International Pump	23¾
Iowa Central	27
Kansas City Southern	28
Kansas City Southern, pfd	65
Laclede Gas	104
Louisville and Nashville	146
Minneapolis and St. Louis	33¼
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	133
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	30½
Missouri, Kan. and Tex., pfd	66¾
Missouri Pacific	40⅜
National Biscuit	125¾
National Lead	44
Nat Rys of Mexico, 2nd pfd	32½
New York Central	104¼
New York, Ontario and Western	38⅝
Norfolk and Western	107⅞
North American	69
Northern Pacific	116
Pacific Mail	29¼
Pennsylvania	121½
People's Gas	106
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	94¼
Pittsburg Coal	17¾
Pressed Steel Car	28
Pullman Palace Car	158
Railway Steel Spring	26
Reading	138¼
Republic Steel	18¾
Republic Steel, pfd	76
Rock Island Co	23¾
Rock Island Co., pfd	47½
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	40
St. Louis Southwestern	31
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	69
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	39
Southern Pacific	108⅜
Southern Railway	28⅜
Southern Railway, pfd	69
Tennessee Copper	34½
Texas and Pacific	24
Toledo, St. L. and West	18½
Toledo, St. L. and West., pfd	42½
Union Pacific	161⅜
Union Pacific, pfd	91⅝
United States Realty	48
United States Rubber	42
United States Steel	52⅝
United States Steel, pfd	104¼
Utah Copper	43¾
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	46
Wabash	12¼
Wabash, pfd	24¼
Western Maryland	54⅞
Westinghouse Electric	63
Western Union	77
Wheeling and Lake Erie	3½

URISING IN HONDURAS.

Two Skirmishes Between Insurgents and Government Troops.

Tegucigalpa, Honduras, Oct. 28.—There has been quite an uprising in the south and southwest of Honduras, though owing to the attitude of the government it has been impossible to telegraph the facts outside the country. There were two skirmishes between insurgents and government troops in one of which five men were killed. For a time the affair appeared rather serious, but the government insists the movement has been thoroughly suppressed.

The penitentiary here is nearly filled with leaders that the government could lay hands upon. The principal concerned are outside the country, most of them in Salvador.

The election for president and vice president will be held tomorrow and everyone expects trouble then or very soon thereafter.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

October 29, 1911.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., Saturday, Oct. 28th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 58 degrees; at 8 P. M., 55 degrees; maximum, 59 degrees; minimum, 54 degrees; mean, 56 degrees.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Thursday, 4 feet.

Rainfall for the day, .15 inch; for the month, 1.97 inches.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair in the interior, unsettled on the coast Sunday; Monday, fair; moderate northeast winds.

Port Calendar—Oct. 29.

Sun rises	6:29 A. M.
Sun sets	5:23 P. M.
Day's length	10 hrs. 54 min.
High water at Southport	12:38 A. M.
High water at Wilmington	3:38 A. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

October 28, 1911.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature Highest Today	Temperature Lowest Last Night.	24-Hour Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	cloudy	50	40	.0
Asheville	clear	58	50	.0
Atlanta	clear	60	52	.0
Augusta	cloudy	62	54	.28
Birmingham	clear	72	48	.0
Boston	clear	46	34	.0
Charleston	cloudy	62	58	.02
Charlotte	clear	54	50	.06
Chicago	clear	48	38	.0
Galveston	clear	72	60	.0
Jacksonville	cloudy	70	66	.02
Memphis	clear	60	38	.0
Mobile	cloudy	74	62	.0
Montgomery	clear	70	58	.0
New Orleans	clear	74	66	.0
New York	cloudy	50	38	.0
Palestine	clear	86	46	.0
Oklahoma	raining	44	36	.0
Pittsburg	pt cldy	44	34	.0
Raleigh	cloudy	52	48	.46
Savannah	raining	64	56	.04
Shreveport	clear	64	44	.0
St. Louis	cloudy	46	38	.0
Washington	clear	48	44	.0

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, October 28.—Reaction came today in the wheat market, after an all-week decline. The drop in prices had finally stimulated flour sales and also started a little business in cash wheat. As a result, the close was comparatively steady, at figures ranging from last night's level to ⅛@¼c. above. Other grain, as well as hog products made an advance all around, corn, ⅛ to ¼c.; oats, ⅛ to ⅜, and provisions, 7½ to 12½.

Wheat—No. 2, red, 99¼@1.00¼; No. 3, red, 97@99; No. 2, hard, 1.01@1.06; No. 3, hard, 1.00@1.04; No. 2, northern, 1.06@1.12; No. 3, northern, 1.05@1.10; No. 2, spring, 1.06@1.10; No. 3, spring, 1.04@1.10; No. 4, spring, 90@1.08; velvet chaff, 90@1.08; durum, 95@1.06.

Corn—No. 2, 73¼@74; No. 2, white, 75@75¼; No. 2, yellow, 74@74½; No. 3, 73@74; No. 3, white, 74½@74¾; No. 3, yellow, 74@74¼; No. 4, white, 73¾@74; No. 4, white, new, 67¾@69; No. 4, yellow, 73@73½; No. 4, yellow, new, 68@68½.

Oats—No. 2, 47¼@48; No. 3, white, 46½@47½; No. 4, white, 44½@46½; standard, 47¼@48.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat:				
Dec	98⅞	98⅞	97⅝	98⅛
May	1.04⅝	1.04⅝	1.03¼	1.03⅝
July	97⅝	97⅝	96¼	97⅜
Corn:				
Dec	63¼	64¾	63¼	63⅝
May	65½	65⅝	65⅛	65½
July	65⅝	65½	65⅛	65½
Oats:				
Dec	47¼	47¼	46¾	47¼
May	49⅝	49⅞	49⅜	49⅜
July	46⅝	46⅝	46¼	46⅝
Mess Pork, per barrel:				
Jan	15.70	15.75	15.70	15.70
Lard, per 100 pounds:				
Nov	8.80	8.87½	8.80	8.85
Jan	8.92½	9.02½	8.92½	9.02½
May	9.07½	9.17½	9.07½	9.17½
Short Ribs, per 100 pounds:				
Jan	8.15	8.15	8.15	8.15
May	8.27½	8.30	8.27½	8.30

WICKERSHAM TO NEW YORK

Goes to Attend the Hearing of the American Tobacco Company

Washington, Oct. 28.—Attorney General Wickersham will go to New York tomorrow to appear next week at the hearings on the proposed organization plan of the American Tobacco Company. J. C. Reynolds and Edwin P. Grosvenor, special assistant attorneys, who prosecuted the tobacco case, will appear with the Attorney General.

A statement of the government's attitude against the proposed re-organization will be filed with the United States Court as soon as the hearings begin. It is understood that the government may insist on a different division of the ownership of certain brands than is now proposed. The government's attorneys think a different division would be more conducive to competition.

WILL SIT NEXT WEEK.

Grand Jury in Case of Rev. C. V. T. Richeson Will Hear Evidence.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 28.—That the grand jury will be compelled to sit several days next week, hearing further evidence against the Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson, of Cambridge, charged with the murder of Avis Linnell, of Hyannis, was made apparent tonight by the serving of several new summons.

Phases of the case not yet touched upon publicly are expected to be brought out from these witnesses, according to the police. The grand jury in the two days it has had the case under consideration has been heard only a few of the 40 witnesses originally summoned. With new summonses out it is not believed a report will be reached before the middle of next week.

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NOTICE.

The undersigned will, on the 23rd of November, 1911, apply to the governor for a pardon for James E. Tisdale, convicted of murder in the second degree, at Burgaw, July, 1911, and sentenced to the penitentiary for 15 years. All persons opposing the granting of same will forward their objections to the governor.

oc23-30t SARAH TISDALE.

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IMPERIAL FAMILY TO FLEE

(Continued from Page One.)

ment began to take drastic measures, the Chinese spirit seemed quelled. Now since the defeat of the imperialists on October 20th, and other evidences of Manchu weakness, revolution attacked openly. Meetings are held in semi-public hostelries and the police do not interfere.

The reported capture of Hankow by the war minister, may, however, have dampened the ardor of those who seemed ready to go over to the revolution. One of the legations has a report from Hankow tonight that the rebels are retired before the imperialists without serious resistance. This causes the belief that Yin Tchang's victory may have been prearranged. Upon receipt of the report from the war minister Yuan Shikai immediately issued orders that railway traffic between Peking and Hankow be resumed Monday. It is thought that Yuan's negotiations with the rebels may have provided for their retirement to Han Yang.

Two distinct parties have developed among the Chinese. One embraces the National Assembly, most of the government officials in both provincial and central governments, and also the conservative business men. This party favors the continuance of the Manchus on the throne, although with a completely constitutional government. The other party, led by Wu Chang, Canton and other rebels aims at the expulsion of the Manchus from Peking.

It is rumored among the Chinese that the imperial family intended to flee from the capital. The legations advised them to remain, pointing out that such a show of defeat would only make conditions worse and cause more serious uprisings. It is stated that the Japanese government will not permit the imperial family to find asylum in Manchuria, because of the certainty of their carrying their troubles thither.

SERIOUS WRECK IS PREVENTED

By Prompt Action of the Engineer in Charge

London, Oct. 28.—Prompt action on the part of the engineer today prevented the wreck of the American boat train carrying passengers from the steamer Lusitania, sailing from Liverpool for New York. Although it was impossible to avoid a collision with a local boat standing at the Colwich station, the accident was attended by less serious consequences than might have been expected. Out of the four injured passengers of the local train only one was seriously injured.

The boat train consisting of 19 cars, left Euston station a noon drawn by two engines. Witain 300 yards from the Colwich station the driver of the foremost engine observed the standing trading train and promptly applied all the brakes. The other engineer followed the example but the distance was too short to prevent a smash. The train traveling at 15 miles an hour, dashed into the rear of the local directly under an iron bridge. The roofs of the damaged carriages were pinned against the structure.

Although the leading engine was derailed, it remained upright. The rear car of the local train was forced through the boiler causing the steampipes to explode. Both the engineer and fireman had a narrow escape from scalding. Passengers on the boat train, many of whom were at lunch, were somewhat shaken but no one was injured.

PREMIER GUEST OF HONOR.

At Luncheon Given by Lawyers' Club in New York Yesterday.

New York, Oct. 28.—Robert L. Borden, the new premier of Canada, was the guest of honor at a luncheon given today at the Lawyers' Club by members of the Anglo-American Peace Centennial Committee. Mr. Borden made a brief address in which he declared that there was no reason why recent events in Canada should in the slightest degree interfere with the cordial relations existing between the Dominion and the United States.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Concord Chapter—Meeting.
Gaylord's—Latest Arrivals.
Grand Theatre—Free Lecture.
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Academy—Beverly of Graustark.
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For Rent—Furnished Room.
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Wright's Real Estate Agency—North Front Street.

NAVASSA GUANO COMPANY.

Petition Granted in Circuit Court—Mr. Justice on Trusts.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., Oct. 28.—Judge Boyd, in United States Circuit Court yesterday heard application of the Navassa Guano Company, of Wilmington, for admission as a party defendant to the suit in equity instituted about six weeks ago by the Imperial Company, of Richmond, Va., against the Rowan Chemical Company, H. B. Brown and R. M. Roseboro. In this action Hayden Clement and Stahla Linn were named as receivers for the Rowan Chemical Company. It seems that the Rowan Chemical Company has been acting as agent in the distribution of guano in Rowan county for the Imperial company and the Navassa Company, and the contest is to determine which of these two companies is entitled to preference in the estate and general assets of the Rowan Chemical Company. The Navassa Company sought to be admitted as party defendant in order to make cleam upon a considerable amount of assets in the form of notes, mortgages, etc., held by the Rowan Chemical Company against farmers and others to whom they have delivered fertilizer. The Navassa Company alleges that these notes, mortgages, etc., were taken in exchange for fertilizer furnished by that company. The liabilities of the Rowan company are placed at $40,000 and the assets, mostly in notes, at $25,000. It is stated that the Navassa Company will be admitted as a party, the order, it is said, having been drawn.

Hon. E. J. Justice, who has been requested by the Farmers Union to go to New York and be present at the hearing of the Attorneys General of Virginia, North and South Carolina in the protest against the present dissolution plan of the American Tobacco Company, may leave for the metropolis late tonight or tomorrow—if he goes at all. In commenting upon the proposed plan, Mr. Justice declared "that it would be as foolish to undertake to destroy the trust by breaking it into a number of corporations, all of which are controlled by the same friendly spirit, as it would be to scatter a covey of partridges and expect that they would not go together again when night comes."

Congressman Charles M. Stedman left today for Caswell county where he will mingle with the people of that county. With his visit to Caswell Maj. Stedman will have made a complete tour of every county in his district since Congress adjourned. Maj. Stedman says that his mission over the district has been "merely a personal one;" that he wanted to mingle with his constitutents and thereby gain first hand information as to their needs and wishes.

COMMENDS PRESIDENT.

For What Influence He May Have Exercised in Suit to Dissolve Trust.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 28.—James J. Hill tonight commended President Taft for whatever influence the President may have exercised in the government's suit to dissolve the United States Steel Corporation. Mr. Hill said that he endorsed President Taft in the matter, even though other so-called captains of industry had been reported as off criticism. The railway builder, however, did not intimate that he approved of the law under which the proceedings have been instituted.

Among the defendants in the dissolution suit are three sons of Mr. Hill.

"The President has taken an oath to enforce the law," Mr. Hill said, "and he is only doing his duty. Whether the law is wise or unwise is a grave question. But the President is right in enforcing it if it is the law."

"Now that we are in this thing we ought to go through with it to the end. Let us find out where we stand.

"I am not worried about the cancellation of the steel corporation contract. Iron ore does not go out of style and it will not run away. If it lies in the ground for 25 years and the country grows and the demand for iron and steel increase it will not be worth any less than it is now."

SPEECH OF MRS. STEVENS

Made at Thirty-Seventh Annual Convention of N. W. C. T. U.

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 28.—Praise for Captain R. P. Hobson for his advocacy of the temperance cause and also for Dr. H. W. Wiley and censure of Secretary of Agriculture Jas. Wilson from the lips of Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens, of Maine, National president of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, brought applause on one hand and denunciation on the other at the opening meeting of the National Temperance Workers Convention in the auditorium today.

To censure the temperance women officials from suffering from thirst in Milwaukee, a generous man from Maine sent 100 bottles of Maine water t the headquarters.

Mrs. Elizabeth Preston Anderson, of Valley City, N. D., recording secretary, in her annual report this afternoon referred to Maine as the "For tress of Prohibition."

The annual report of the treasurer, Mrs. Elizabeth P. Hutchinson showed receipts of $95,721 and disbursements of $88,407.

SAIL IN 32-MILE GALE.

Torpedo Destroyers Leave Norfolk Yesterday for New York.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 28.—Despite their experiences in a recent storm below Hatteras, the torpedo destroyers Reed, Lamson, Craven and Preston sailed this afternoon for New York in the teeth of a 32-mile northeast gale. The Barney and Wilkes, which were towed yesterday, badly damaged after their rough experience in the gale, may be ready to sail tomorrow. Night and day forces are working on the boats to have them ready to participate in the naval review in New York harbor next week.

COLLEGE OF BISHOPS ADJOURNS.

Yesterday After Failure of Important Papers to Arrive.

Dallas, Texas, Oct. 28.—The College of Bishops of the Southern Methodist Church, adjourned late this afternoon to meet in Nashville in May, 1912. The sessions of the last day were uneventful; failure of important papers to arrive making action on several matters of importance impossible at this time. Tomorrow the visiting clergymen will deliver sermons at the Methodist churches of Dallas and Fort Worth.

BILLIARD TOURNAMENT.

To Be Held in New York City November 27th.

New York, Oct. 28.—The first of the five big championship tournaments, which the National Association of Amateur billiard players has mapped out for the Winter will be Class B, national championship at 18.2 balk line. The tournament, it was decided at a meeting of the executive committee here today, will be held in New York Monday, November 27th. The matches will be 300 points and all entrants must qualify at a grand average of between 5 and 7.

SEARCHING FOR EX-MAYOR.

Many Believe He Has Been Murdered and Body Thrown in River.

Valdosta, Ga., Oct. 28.—City and county officials and friends of Sam M. Clyatt, wealthy turpentine operator and former mayor of Tifton, Ga., are searching the surrounding country for him. Many believe he has been murdered and his body thrown into the Willacoochee river. He left Hahira Wednesday and yesterday his buggy, hat, coat, keys and check book were found near the double bridge over the Willacoochee. His horse was gone.

BUSINESS LOCALS

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WANTED—A girl to cook and clean. Apply with references to up-stairs flat, 611 Dock street. oc29-1t

FOR RENT—At once, one room furnished, for two gentlemen. Separate beds, use of 'phone and bath. Electric lighted. 308 Grace street. oc29-1t*

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FARM FOR SALE—40 acres, half under cultivation, with five-room dwelling. Near Wrightsville macadam road. Good fruit orchard, $50 per acre to quick purchaser. Apply to H. F. Wilder, Real Estate Agent, 207 Princess street. oc29-1t

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SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY—Fancy California Tokay grapes, 15c. per pound; fresh ground cocoanut, 15c. per quart. Fresh, sweet cream, 50c. per quart. E. Warren & Son. 'Phone 370. oc28-1t

FOR SALE—A pair good heavy sound mules cheap. J. W. Lashley, Armour, N. C. oc28-2t*

MEN WANTED—For work in saw mill at Wallace, N. C. Pay day every Saturday. Plenty of good tenement houses and boarding houses for both white and colored laborers. The Norfolk Lumber Company, Wallace, N. C. oc27-30t

FARM FOR SALE—Small farm, 13 acres, on main road, ¼ mile from Leland, N. C. Land fenced in; small four-room house on the place. Apply E. V. Evans, Leland, N. C. oc22-su2t*

WANTED — An experienced log pond man and helper, for taking up sunken logs in a small pond of still water. Will pay $2.00 per day and $1.50 for helper. The Norfolk Lumber Co., Wallace, N. C. oc27-15t

WANTED—Furnished room and board in private family, by couple with infant. State rates and location. Address "Anxious," care Star. oc17-tf

THE RURAL BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION will open the Eighteenth Series on Saturday, Nov. 4th, 1911. Books are now open for subscription. Series limited to 1,000 shares. Better subscribe now. Lends money at Carolina Place, and Winter Park. The safest and easiest way to save money and to buy your home. R. C. DeRosset, President; James Owen Reilly, Secretary and Treasurer. Office, 118 Princess street. oc26-tf

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TO THE PUBLIC—Uncle Charles' pawn shop has moved to 16 S. Front street; look for the yellow building. my31-tf

WANTED—Room and board by young married couple, preferably in private family or private boarding house, close to post office. Answer, giving price and all particulars, in first letter, "C. X. T.," care Star. oc28-2t

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WANTED—Salesman to handle line of Fruit Ciders in small country towns as side line; 25 per cent. commission. Settlement weekly. Manager, No. 206 S. First St., St. Louis, Mo. oc15-su4t

WANTED—100 young men and women to take advantage of Southern Business College's low rates. Third floor, I. O. O. F. Building. Call for particulars at once. oc8-su-tf

AGENTS everywhere can make big income distributing Coupons advertising our gum. No canvassing. Liberal yearly contract. Send seven two-cent stamps for supply Coupons, Samples Gum, fully prepaid. Spearmint Company, 1777 Broadway, Dept. 88, New York. se24;oc1,8,15,22,29-6t*

TAILORING—Gentlemen, see my line of Fall and Winter Suitings before you buy; popular prices. Leger Meyer, Merchant Tailor, 109 Princess st., 2nd floor; Princess Building. jy9-su-tf *to7-18

LAND FOR SALE—Two tracts of land containing about four hundred acres of the most productive soil in North Carolina, less than a mile from city limits, on macadamized road and traversed by A. C. L. Railroad. These lands are suitable for farming, colonizing and suburban development. For further particulars, address P. O. Box 482, Wilmington, N. C. se29-w,f,su-1mo

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UNREDEEMED shot guns of high grade makes; Utica, Remington, Fox, L. C. Smith, Sterling, at bargains. Give us a call before you buy. Uncle Charles' Pawn Shop, 16 South Front st., Yellow building. oc19-tf

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SPECIALS at Pure Food Market: New sour krout, fine lettuce and celery. All kinds fresh meats; fine New River oysters and liver pudding; best of season. Pure Food Market, D. M. Davis, Prop. 'Phone 1493. se30-tf

1132 IS THE NUMBER to call for plumbing. The big force we put on last week cleared our books of repair work. Now we are ready for your orders. D. L. T. Capps Plumbing Co., J. B. Griffith, Mgr., 130 Market street. oc15-tf

FOR SALE—One ninth interest in 1,225 acres of land, one and a half miles west of Ivanhoe, N. C. For further particulars apply to A. Sellers, Ivanhoe, N. C. oc18-1mo*

WANT TO BUY—One hundred and fifty thousand feet long leaf or good rosemary pine. Square edge and sound. Mostly small sizes, delivered in Wilmington for cash. Northrop Lumber and Export Co. oc24-4t

THE GRAND LODGES OF NORTH CAROLINA

A. F. & A. M. will be convened in Masonic Temple, Wednesday afternoon, November 1, at 3 o'clock. The members of St. John's Lodge No. 1; Wilmington No. 319; Orient No. 395, and all visiting Masons are cordially invited to attend and assist in laying the corner-stone of the Church of the Good Shepherd.

By order of the Grand Master.
A. S. HOLDEN,
Acting Grand Master.
Oct. 29-1t.

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W. H. MARTIN,
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with the Newest Goods in town. We have fewer pieces of furniture in our stock which were in it October 1st, and have received more new goods since October 1st, than any house in town. Our facilities for buying, our financial ability and standing, the confidence of manufacturers which we enjoy, give us special advantages in buying. We are tied to no one. We can and do buy where the best values are offered.

The advantage we possess for buying certainly puts us in position to offer superior values to our customers. We have special offerings for the next few days in solid mahogany, genuine Circassian walnut, birds' eye maple and quartered oak bed room furniture.

The finest line of Parlor Furniture ever shown in Wilmington. Bernstein Beds, Ostermoore Mattresses, Bloch's Go Carts and Carriages, Hoosier Ketchel Cabinets.

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111 Cases Jumbo Apples.
61 Cases Jumbo Sweet Potatoes.
49 Cases Jumbo Corn & Tomatoes.
64 Cases Jumbo Okra & Tomatoes.
71 Cases Jumbo Hominy.
67 Cases Jumbo Pork & Beans.
81 Cases Sugar Corn.
47 Cases Elberta Peaches

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CHANGE OF SCHEDULE

Starting on Monday, October 30th, Steamer Lisbon will load every Monday and Thursday for points along the Cape Fear river as far as Elizabethtown. Returning to the city every Wednesday and Saturday.

Passengers and Freights will have personal attention.

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THE PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD

Ninety-Eighth Annual Session in Charlotte November 7th.—Something of the Work of This Great Body.

(By Mamie Bays.)

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 28.—The necessity for a change in the date of the meeting of the Presbyterian Synod of North Carolina will cause the annual session to be held two weeks later this year than usual. This will be the 98th session, and it will be held in the Second Presbyterian Church of Charlotte. The opening session will be held on Tuesday evening, November 7th, and the meeting will continue for several days.

Should the Synod of North Carolina search the United States over for a strong Presbyterian center in which to hold its annual meeting, it could not find one stronger than Charlotte and Mecklenburg county. The first inhabitants of Charlotte and Mecklenburg county were the sturdy Scotch-Irish; they were the founders of the town and the county, and with them they brought Presbyterianism, and through all these years this town and this county has been considered, through inheritance and environment, as well, the stronghold of Presbyterianism in the United States. Other denominations in Charlotte—Methodist, Baptist, Episcopalian, Lutheran and Associate Reformed Presbyterian, which are the Protestant churches established here, have grown rapidly also, and, numerically, the strength of the Methodist church is almost as strong as that of the Presbyterian, exclusive of the Associate Reformed membership, but with the addition of that body the Presbyterians in Charlotte alone outnumber by several hundred all other denominations. The Presbyterian membership in Charlotte is about 5,000, and the membership of this church throughout the county is largely increased by the many country churches of that denomination.

The Synod of North Carolina has been held in Charlotte seven times previous to this meeting, the last time having been in 1901. During the ten years which have elapsed since that meeting and the one to be held this year, the membership of the Presbyterian Church in North Carolina has increased steadily, and the same is true of the various interests of the church. Each of these interests will be well presented and carefully considered during the several days Synod will be in session. The contributions to all of the causes of the church have increased decidedly during the past several years. This fact is true especially with regard to the contributions of this Synod to the cause of Foreign Missions. Last year this Synod gave to Foreign Missions $72,207, as against $58,418 contributed to this cause in 1909 and $38,061 in 1908. No other Synod in the Church gave so much to this cause last year as that given by the Synod of North Carolina, and it is probable that another increase to this cause will be noted in the report of the committee on Foreign Missions at this meeting.

Special emphasis is being placed upon the interest of Foreign Missions at this time on account of the "missionary debt" of $121,000, which the executive committee of foreign missions of the Southern Presbyterian Church has had to incur during the past five years. Special effort is being made in all parts of the Church to liquidate this debt before the close of the present year, and to secure additional contributions to this cause sufficient to continue the advance policy in the various mission fields and avoid the necessity of retrenchment. During the past five years, notwithstanding the "missionary debt", 105 missionaries have been sent out by this Church, and during the past 12 months alone 30,000 conversions have been reported by the missionaries in the various mission stations found in Africa, Brazil, China, Cuba, Japan, Korea and Mexico.

The policy recently adopted by the executive committee of Foreign Missions is that no additional missionaries will be sent to the foreign field until their salaries and traveling expenses shall have been provided by individuals or churches, and by adherence to this policy additional debt in the interest of Foreign Missions will be avoided.

Rev. R. F. Campbell, D. D., of Asheville, is chairman of the Committee on Foreign Missions in the Synod of North Carolina, and in this work he is ably assisted by the other members of the committee.

The work of Home Missions is not neglected in the Synod, but is carried on as one of the great interests of the Church. The chairman of the Committee on Home Missions is Rev. McG. Shields, and large results are expect-complished through the efforts of this committee. The amount contributed last year to Assembly's Home Missions was $8,991, and to local home missions, $49,165.

The other regular contributions of the Synod of North Carolina were as follows: Colored evangelization, $2,874; ministerial relief, $2,878; ministerial education, $22,470; schools and colleges, $55,965; Sabbath School extension and publication, $3,127; Bible society, $1,108; Assembly's Home and School, $1,638; Orphans' Home, $25,205; congregational, Presbyterial tax, and pastors' salaries, $289,018; miscellaneous, $34,627.

This Synod includes in its territory all of the State of North Carolina, and is composed of eight Presbyteries. The number of ministers in the Synod is 308; number of licentiates 1; number of candidates, 136; number of churches, 466; number of elders, 1,653; number of deacons, 1,550; members added to the church during the year on examination, 2,299; number added on certificate, 1,849; total membership in Synod, 45,978; adult baptisms, 873; infant baptisms, 879; officers and teachers in Sabbath School and Bible classes, 3,338; scholars in Sabbath Schools and Bible classes, 31,022.

One of the greatest strongholds of the church is the Sabbath School, and a significant fact in this connection is that the number of officers, teachers and scholars in the Sabbath Schools of the Synod of North Carolina is only 11,618 less than the entire church membership of the Synod.

During the General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian Church held in Louisville, in May of the present year, the number of executive committees of the church was reduced to four, namely: Foreign Missions, Home Missions, Publication, and Christian Education and Ministerial Relief, and all of the interests of the church are directed under these four committees. It is probable that one of the secretaries of each of these committees will attend the meeting of Synod and address the body in the interest of the work which they represent.

The work of Union Theological Seminary, at Richmond, will claim close attention from the Synod.

The retiring Moderator of Synod is Hon. A. M. Scales, of Greensboro, and, at his request, the opening sermon will be preached by his pastor, Rev. Melton Clark, D. D., who is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Greensboro. No Moderator is elected for longer than one year, and no moderator succeeds himself, as after the opening sermon, the moderator for this year will be elected, and the two temporary clerks also. The only permanent officer of Synod is the stated clerk, and Rev. D. I. Craig, D. D., of Reidsville, has filled this office most satisfactorily for a number of years.

EXPORT MERCHANDISE.

Importance of Proper Description of All Goods Offered.

Washington, D. C., October 28.—Exporters, manufacturers preparing material for exportation, and transportation companies carrying merchandise of this character will be interested in a circular just issued by the Bureau of Statistics, Department of Commerce and Labor. It calls the attention of persons forwarding merchandise from the interior for exportation at the seaboard or border ports, to the importance of accompanying the same with a proper and detailed description.

The official "Export manifest" supplied to the collector of customs by the export agent or other person at the port at which the merchandise leaves the country is necessarily the sole reliance of the collector of customs for the description which he forwards to the Bureau of Statistics, and upon which that bureau must base the information which it gives to the public regarding the character of Merchandise exported. Thousands of copies of this circular are being distributed to exporters, a large proportion of them being forwarded by the transportation companies and export agents. It is the desire of the Bureau of Statistics that all persons engaged in or contemplating entering the export trade should carefully study and comply with the law and regulations governing the description of exports. The importance of a thorough understanding of this subject is illustrated by the following extracts from the laws and regulations quoted by the circular letter in question:

"Before a clearance shall be granted for any vessel bound to a foreign place (or contiguous territory of the United States) the collector of customs shall require the owners, shippers or consignors of the cargo to deliver to him manifests of the cargo or the parts thereof shipped by them, respectively, which manifests shall specify the kinds and quantities of articles shipped by them, respectively, the value of the total quantity of each kind * * * and the foreign country in which such cargo is truly intended to be landed. The manifests shall be verified by the oath of the person by whom they are respectively made and subscribed."—Revised Statutes, 337, and Act of April 29,1902; Customs Regulations, 1908, Art. 1606.

"The merchandise must be described in specific and not in general terms. Such designations as 'fruit,' 'provisions,' 'groceries,' 'meats,' 'canned goods,' 'hardware,' 'machinery,' etc., or any other general term must not be used. * * * The quantities in all cases where practicable * * * must be specified." — Customs Regulations, 1908, Art. 1606.

"Agents of steamships, transportation companies, and others, at points of shipment on the seaboard to whom is consigned merchandise on through bills of lading, or otherwise, from interior ports for export, should require the owner or shipper at the interior or initial point of shipment to accompany the merchandise with a list thereof or transmit by mail such list to the consignee or agent who is to clear the merchandise at the seaboard port for his information in preparing a proper manifest for the clearance of the goods. This list will show the kinds, quantities, values, and country of ultimate destination of the articles."—Customs Regulations, 1908, Art. 1607.

Persons desiring a copy or copies of the circular above described may obtain the same free of charge by application to the Bureau of Statistics, Department of Commerce and Labor.

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Sometimes liver, kidneys and bowels seem to go on a strike and refuse to work right. Then you need those pleasant little strike-breakers—Dr. King's New Life Pills—to give them natural aid and gently compel proper action. Excellent health soon follows. Try them, 25c. at R. R. Bellmy's.

An ounce of sense today is far better than a pound of regret tomorrow.

WHAT IS AHEAD OF CONGRESS

"Red Buck" Reviews Work of Forthcoming Session—The Investigating Committees—Pure Food and Drugs Act.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, Oct. 28.—The House Democrats have a strenuous session ahead of them. Their legislative programme is a long and important one.

First comes the revision of tariff schedules.

Second, the winding up of the investigations launched at the last session.

Third, the consideration of amendments to the pure food and drugs, the interstate commerce, and other acts.

Fourth, the passage of bills of more or less importance.

Those Democrats who are here now are of the opinion that the Ways and Means Committee will revise the wool, cotton, steel, sugar, chemical and meat schedules at the coming session. Bills covering these subjects will be sent up to the Senate.

The investigations still pending are conducted by the following named committees: The Stanley Committee, elected to investigate the Steel Trust; the Hardwick Committee, elected to investigate the Sugar Trust, and the nine committees on expenditures in the various executive departments.

The Stanley committee will resume its hearings about the middle of November. Messrs. Andrew Carnegie and J. Pierpont Morgan will be called as witnesses. Mr. Carnegie was to have been the first person to testify, but he asked permission to go to Scotland and recuperate before going on the stand. Mr. Morgan has been notified that he will be called. These and others must testify before Mr. Stanley makes his report.

The report of the Hardwick committee is being prepared now. The hearings closed last session. Mr. Hardwick will make his report soon after Congress meets in December.

The House Committee on Expenditures in the Interior Department, Representative Graham, of Illinois, chairman, will take up the Controller Bay matter some time next month and thresh it out. Louis D. Brandeis has agreed to represent the committee. An effort will be made to locate the Dick-to-Dick letter discovered by Miss Myrtle Abbott last Spring.

The House Committee on Expenditures in the Department of Agriculture will make its report on the Wiley-McCabe-Dunlap affair. There will be no more hearings in this investigation.

The House Committee on Expenditures in the State Department will continue its investigations next week. Chairman Hamlin is here now, ready to begin. The Boxer claim will be looked into.

The Democrats will cut down the running expenses of the government. Chairman Fitzgerald, of the House Committee on Appropriations, will trim his bills to the very bone. He commenced last session when he would not permit certain items in the deficiency bill.

On account of the decision of the Supreme Court in the United States against O. A. Johnson, President Taft sent a special message to Congress urging the passage at the extra session of an amendment to the food and drugs act. That opinion of the court said: "The food and drugs act does not cover the knowingly false labeling of nostrums as to curative effect or physiological action, and that inquiry under this salutary statute does not by its terms extend in any case to the inefficacy of medicines to work the cures claimed for them on the labels."

"It follows," said the President, "that without fear of punishment, under the law, unscrupulous persons, knowing the medicines to have no curative or remedial value for the diseases for which they indicate them, may ship in interstate commerce medicines composed of substances possessing any slight physiological action and labeled as cures for diseases which, in the present state of science, are recognized as incurable."

In consequence of the decision of the Supreme Court and the message of the President, Representative Richardson of Alabama introduced a bill to amend the act. His bill would remedy the defect in the law. The committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, to which the bill was referred, will report it out at an early date after Congress convenes.

The Sherwood pension bill, introduced by Representative Sherwood, chairman of the committee on Invalid Pensions, and reported favorably last session, will be accepted by the House. It provides for service pensions as follows: For a service of 90 days and less than six months, $15 per month; for six months or more and less than nine, $20; for nine months of more, and less than a year, $25, and for one year or more, $30.

This bill has the approval of the leaders of the House. Mr. Underwood said in a speech on the floor of the House last session that the committee bill would pass in due time.

Chairman Moon, of the Committee on Postoffices and Post Roads has introduced a parcels post bill, which will be reported out early in the session. This is to be one of the important measures of the next session.

Amendments will be offered to the Interstate Commerce laws by Representative Adamson, and the bankruptcy law by some other Democrat.

Chairman Hamlin, of the House Committee on Expenditures, in the State Department, will urge the passage of his bill to require the President to make a report to a special committee of Congress the expenditures of the State Department under the "secret fund" law. The bill provides that "The President shall, as soon as may be after the convening of Congress each year, file with said committee an itemized report, for the preceding fiscal year, of the expenditure of the fund for the purpose of intercourse or treaty with foreign nations, showing for what purpose expended and which report shall by said committee be kept secret, except such items as may, in the judgment of the said committee, be determined ought not to have been paid out of said fund and included in said certificate."

Mr. Hamlin said today that the House, he thought, would support his bill.

It was from the secret fund that money to pay for the portrait of former Secretary Day was drawn.

A bill to "provide for the operation of the Panama Canal and other purposes" has been introduced by Chairman Adamson of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. This bill provides "That until Congress shall otherwise provide the President, through out of the executive departments of the government to be designated by him, or otherwise in his discretion, shall provide for the operation of the Panama Canal."

Gen. Goethals told the committee last session that something should be done at an early date so that ship builders and others would know what to expect in the way of tolls. This matter will receive immediate attention upon the convening of Congress.

Representative Hobson's measure to establish a Council of National defense is looked upon with favor. Several Democrats would amend the Sherman law to evade the "reasonable restraint of trade." H. E. C. B.

CROESUS CLUB IN NEW YORK.

Only Men Who Reckon Wealth in Millions Allowed to Join.

The Recess Club opened its doors in New York on Wednesday. The 200 members who took lunch there represented a large part of the money in New York.

The Recess Club is the latest toy of Wall Street, and of the bigger men of Wall Street. None but those whose purses are plethoric are members. While it is not openly stated, it is generally understood that a man's standing in the club is determined by the number of millions he has.

The scheme is much like the class privilege in a college; the seniors, representing $30,000,000 and upward; the juniors, possessing from $15,000,000 to $30,000,000, and the sophomores and freshmen tapering off from a million to $15,000,000 each.

The club is on the 21st floor of the Knickerbocker Trust building, 60 Broadway. The most expensive art works, paintings and furniture, gathered from all parts of the world, decorate the extensive rooms.

Below stairs on the first floor, the club has reserved rooms for the wives of its members. Some of the richest matrons in the world lunched there today.

The avowed object of the club is to each day for a brief space, relieve the bankers and brokers of Wall Street from the stress and anxiety entailed in the coinage of gold. No tickets are allowed in any of the club rooms. Business and speculation are tabooed subjects. Any member suddenly bounding from his table in the dining room and offering to buy or sell stocks or make bets on any subject at all is liable to heavy fine, and to suspension if the offense is repeated.

Joseph W. Harriman is president of the club, G. Louis Boissevain is treasurer, W. W. Miller is the secretary. Among the members are J. P. Morgan, Cornelius Vanderbilt, Charles M. Schwab, Jacob H. Schiff and Otto H. Kahn.

Every one of the big cliques in Wall Street is represented. The club was founded by the richest men in each of these cliques. Then each of these leaders, according to his wealth, was allowed to ask a limited number of other millionaires.

For instance, Mr. Morgan and Mr. Schiff were allowed to ask 25 millionaires each. Other big men with fewer millions could ask ten; still others with lower financial rating could ask five, and so on down it went, till the men with but a few millions were reached, and allowed to ask one to three of their friends, always providing, of course, that these friends were eligible in the matter of dollars.

The membership is rigidly limited to 250. Already there is a waiting list of 140, some of them held up because the membership list is full, and others because they require a few more months to acquire eligibility.

The club, it is believed, will do much toward promoting amicability among the warring forces of the street. One of its objects is said to be that of educating its members to the realization that though deadly enemies on the floor of the Stock Exchange, there is no real reason why they should not be chums once the tempestuous whirr of the street is left behind.

DR. PRATT BUSY.

Delegate to Chicago—Be at Good Roads Association Meeting.

Chapel Hill, N. C., Oct. 25.—Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, the State Geologist of North Carolina, is in Chicago attending the meetings of the National Mining Congress as a delegate from North Carolina, and in connection with this also a meeting of the Association of State Geologists, and the National Association of Mining Schools (representing the University of North Carolina). Dr. Pratt has a special invitation to attend the Mines Demonstration Exhibit of the United States Bureau of Mines at Pittsburg. On November 2nd he will make an address at Asheboro, N. C., in the interest of good roads and a bond issue, and on November 3rd he is to address a good roads meeting at Concord. He has been invited by Mr. Logan Waller Page, president of the American Association for Highway Improvement, to preside on Association Day, November 23rd, at the Good Roads Congress to be held at Richmond, Va.

Every time an old bachelor meets a young widow he gets stage fright.

ENTERPRISES OF MAGNITUDE

Georgia Railway and Power Co.—Inter-State Chemical Corporation Co.—Others of Interest During Week.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Baltimore, Oct. 26.—The Manufacturers' Record in reviewing the activities of the South for the past week, reports that more enterprises of great magnitude have been reported than in any week for many months. These cover the widest variety of industry, though the purchase and development of timber lands and the organization of fertilizer enterprises have been more active than any other single line.

Plans for a continuation of the development of the hydro-electric enterprises and the building of interurban railways, as recently reported by the Georgia Railway & Power Company, of Atlanta, which was organized a few weeks ago with $27,000,000 capital stock, are being vigorously pushed and authority has now been asked to issue $30,000,000 of bonds which would make the total capitalization of this undertaking $57,000,000 with a wide ramification of railways, light and hydro-electric power operations covering a large part of the Piedmont section of Georgia.

The Interstate Chemical Corporation has been organized by New York and Southern bankers with a capitalization of $7,250,000, with Charleston, S. C., as its headquarters, and has acquired a number of fertilizer plants and will build others at several points in the South.

The Phosphate Mining Company, of New York, a $2,000,000 company, which is now mining about 400,000 tons of phosphate rock a year in Florida, has decided to enter the fertilizer manufacturing trade, and will begin with an initial plant at Savannah to cost about $400,000 and to produce 50,000 tons of acid phosphate annually.

Western and Louisiana timber operators have purchased about $2,000,000 worth of timber lands including pine and cypress in Florida and will build a large sawmill at Melbourne in that State, for handling this timber, which is estimated at nearly 500,000,000 feet.

A Cincinnati company now owning 34,000 acres of timber land in Tennessee has purchased 32,000 acres of adjoining land in Georgia and will enlarge its sawmills to an annual capacity of 35,000,000 feet of lumber.

These great enterprises are indicative of the extent and variety of the industrial development of the South now under way. The money for these vast operations, representing many millions of dollars, has already been provided.

Among other important enterprises reported for the week are the following:

Big Huff Coal Co., Huntington, W. Va., was incorporated with $400,000 capital stock.

Richmond Engineering & Manufacturing Corporation, Richmond, Va., was incorporated with $100,000 capital stock and has purchased plant to manufacture blowers and exhausters, heating and ventilating equipment, etc.

Atlanta Manufacturing Co., Atlanta, Ga., was incorporated with an authorized capital stock of $100,000 to manufacture oil mill, fertilizer, cement, machinery, etc.

Abell Elevator Co., Louisville, Ky., has begun the erection of a plant to manufacture and repair elevators.

Asheboro Wheelbarrow & Manufacturing Co., Asheboro, N. C., contemplates enlarging plant and installing bending machinery for working angle and channel irons and forging and riveting machinery.

Forest Products Chemical Co., Memphis, Tenn., was organized with a capital stock of $100,000 to establish wood distillation plant.

Florida Automobile & Sales Co., Ocala, Fla., was incorporated with $25,000 capital stock to erect brick garage and equip for rebuilding automobiles and operating vulcanizing plant.

Globe Furniture Co., Kansas City, Mo., was incorporated with a capital stock of $100,000.

Fartins Fork Coal Co., Harlan, Ky., was organized with $40,000 capital stock to develop coal lands near Harlan.

Stockdale Oil & Development Co., Stockdale, Tex., was incorporated with $50,000 capital stock.

Boenker Motor Plow Manufacturing Co., St. Charles, Mo., was incorporated with a capital stock of $24,000 to manufacture motor plows.

J. J. Russell, of Russell Uniform Stave Co., Marked Tree, Ark., is promoting a company with $30,000 capital stock to establish a stave mill.

Birmingham, Ensley & Bessemer Railroad, Birmingham, Ala., is reported as to erect power plant to supply railway from East Lake to Ensley.

Mansfield Gas Co., Mansfield, La., was organized with $100,000 capital stock to pipe natural gas to Mansfield from Naborton field.

Shreveport Ice & Brewing Co., Shreveport, La., will erect reinforced concrete bottling plant at a cost of $50,000 and have a daily capacity of 30,000 bottles.

J. E. Shelton Box & Lumber Co., Winston-Salem, N. C., was incorporated with a capital stock of $100,000.

Louisiana Land & Timber Co., Covington, La., was organized with $250,000 capital stock to develop turpentine lands, etc.

Delmar Lumber Manufacturing Co., Delmar, Del., is reported to install ice plant, sash and door factory at Havre de Grace, Md.

GAYNOR NOT A CANDIDATE.

Not Thinking of Presidency, But Trying to be a Good Mayor.

Mayor Gaynor, of New York, spoke before the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Convention today, says a dispatch from Richmond to The New York Times, and was asked if he was a candidate for the Presidential nomination of the Democratic party. He hesitated a moment and said:

"You must excuse me from answering your question about the Presidency. I am not a candidate. I have the biggest job I know of, as mayor of New York, and I want to do it."

Then turning to his own field of endeavor, he said:

"Why, in New York city I am simply trying to give honest and intelligent government through all of the departments. There are difficulties. The chief one is the constant effort of two or three thoroughly corrupt newspaper proprietors to deceive the public mind and prevent good government. They are thoroughly corrupt libelers.

"Yet one of them is under the delusion that he is fit to hold any office, even the Presidency. Just think of a common libeler imagining himself to high office!"

Mayor Gaynor was asked his opinion of the initiative, referendum and the recall, and replied:

"I can not now discuss the initiative, the referendum and recall. It is a big subject. With an intelligent electorate all out of our common schools and colleges, they would work well; under other conditions, ill."

Jones Bros.' Shows, the only tented attraction to visit our city this season, will exhibit here one day only, afternoon and night, Monday, October 30th.

THE WORLD'S BIGGEST TASK

Four Billion Dollars Worth of Crops Harvested—Money Tight in Autumn Months and Need of Currency Reform.

Chicago, Oct. 28.—Garnering wealth at the rate of $30,000,000 a day in the pursuit of an income which makes that of Rockefeller, Morgan and Carnegie seem a pittance—that is the task, the greatest of its kind, which any Nation is called upon to perform, in which Uncle Sam is now engaged.

Having nearly completed the harvesting of the crops the country is now at work on the titanic labor of moving them to market and converting them into other forms of wealth so that they may feed and clothe, not only America, but a great part of Europe as well, and bring to the pockets of our farmers a golden reward amounting to over four billion dollars. There has been much talk of the short crops of 1911 and the total yield of the leading cereals is approximately half a bilion bushels below that of 1910. But, measured in terms of money, the crops of 1911 are likely to be as valuable as any in the history of the country, perhaps more valuable than any before gathered.

The country's three great agricultural crops are cotton, grain and cattle. Cattle are shipped to the packing centres at all seasons of the year, but the greater part of the country's grain and cotton is moved during the three final months of the year and its handling requires an enormous amount of money, labor and transportation.

Unlike the floods that sometimes spread destruction along the great river courses of the country the wealth bringing flood of grain begins in the South and rolls steadily northward. The Winter wheat harvest commences in Texas and Oklahoma in June and calls to the wheat fields the most nondescript army of labor that can be found anywhere. Men forced out of jobs in the cities, college boys earning money to continue their education, even hoboes, relapsing for the time being from their ordinary scorn of work, are all to be found in its ranks. It moves steadily northward, following the yellowing line of ripening grain across Kansas, Nebraska, the Dakotas, and over the Canadian border to the far northern fields of Alberta and Saskatchewan.

In the wake of this army the grain deluge flathers. It trickles in rivulets from the farms to the local shipping points where it is gathered into small elevators. From here the growing tributaries of the main streams flow to the primary markets, such cities as Chicago, Minneapolis, St. Louis, Duluth and Kansas City, which rank in the order named in receipts of grain. Last year 250,000,000 bushels of wheat were received at the ten largest primary markets in the country and the total receipts of the leading cereal crops were $40,000,000 bushels.

Most of this vast treasure is now safely garnered. In the South the work of picking the precious cotton that clothes half the world is still under way. In the western fields some corn is still standing, but it is beyond the point where weather conditions have power to affect it. In a few places the whirr of the thresher still makes golden music, but most of the wheat, oats, rye and barley are in the farmers' bins or in the storerooms of local elevator men. With the exception of a part of the cotton crop the agricultural products of the country are now beyond the influence of rain,

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GATHERED GEMS

(By T. W. Chambliss).

"Sirs, we would see Jesus."—John 12:21.

These Greeks were proselites to the Jewish religion. They had gone up to the Temple to worship. As they stood within the precincts of the Holy Temple their hearts had gone out to God in the songs of praise they had sung; and in the ceremonies of the Temple worship. But a new message had come ringing into their ears; a new and more intense desire to know God had taken possession of their hearts. They had heard Jesus speak in the Temple. They heard Him on that last great day of the feast as He stood and cried, if any man thirst let him come unto Me and drink. Were they not thirsting to know more of God? For this they left their idolatry. They had heard that Jesus claimed to be the Son sent to reveal the Father. Were not their hearts longing to know more of God, the Father? Jesus had said: I am the light of the world; were they not even now groping in the darkness to find the light? And so they come, not with inferior motives of curiosity, but with a deep burning desire to see and know the Christ, that the deep need of their souls might be satisfied.

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Men everywhere have longed for God. The words of Augustine are true: O God thou hast made the heart of man Thyself, and it can never rest until it finds in Thee. It may be the experience of the man who has lived long with God, as David said, as the heart pants for the water-brooks, so pants my soul after Thee, O God. It may be the heathen who knows not the true God is trying to satisfy his soul by the worship of idols. For, "in even savage bosoms there were longings, yearnings, strivings for the good but they comprehend it not.

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Or it may be men today in business or in pleasure are trying to satisfy their heart's desire, when if they could rightly interpret it they would find it to be for God in a higher life. Jesus alont can satisfy this need of the soul, but what men need is redemption from sin, sympathy and sorrow, a positive stand of righteousness and the assurance of eternal life. And Jesus in His death and life satisfies this need.

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Men need redepmtion from sin. The universal cry from human heart is, "O wretched man that I am; who shall deliver me from the body of this death." We may not be able to account for sin; we may not understand why it should be permitted to come into the world; but the awful fact is that sin is here. There is nothing in all God's universe like sin in the human heart. The animals are not cursed by any disease that confuses their instinct and makes their existence misery. The birds have no subtle poison in their blood that dims the eye of the eagle and hushes the music of the forest. The flowers have nothing in their nature that stains the lily and blights the rose. But man—the noblest act of God's creation, has within his very heart and life that which confuses his understanding, dims his conscience and sets him at rebellion against God.

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Men have always, when they have come to a consciousness of the enslaving and ruining power of sin, sought some way of deliverance. At times driven by the sting of the guilty conscious, relief has been sought in confession to man. Thus did Judas seek to undo the great wrong to his Lord. He had to trade his master for thirty pieces of silver. And now the terribleness of his sins smote him and drove him to a frenzy. In his despair he made a desperate resolve. These thirty pieces of silver burned his hands, and like thirty hissing serpents coiled their fiery bodies about his soul. Back to the counsel he goes, with a pale face and a horse cry, he breaks in upon them; I have sinned in that I have betrayed innocent blood. What cared they? Judas was only a necessary tool for their bloody work. What is that to us, see thou to it, they cry with fiendish contempt. Down upon the Temple floor Judas flinged his thirty pieces of silver and out into the solitude he goes to death, and no volume could describe more vividly the spiritual condition of this man in the despair of his unrepented, unreconciled, unforgiven soul, than did those terse words of the evangelist, and it was night.

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Men some times try to forget their sins. The criminal flees from his country that the change of scene and occupation, the vivid recollection of his crime be erased from his memory. But Alas! How impossible! The very stars are eyes peering at the secrets of his soul. The very light of the dav welcome and exhilerating to the healthy soul is like a flash-light laying bare his hidden sins, during all the day memory and strange and unexpected ways flashes his sin before his vision, and in the night fills his couch with thorns when he ought to have a downy pillow upon which to lay his aching head.

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Men try by good works, by the outward acts of morality to purge their conscience from the stain and guilt of sin, but the spot remains, for by the works of the law shall no flesh be justified. O there is only one thing to do with our sins. If we confess our sins He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. Jesus by His death for sin and by his works in our behalf brings us into such relations with God that we may be forgiven and delivered from their bondage. All other experience fails. Education is good, but an educated bad man is a terror to his community and to his race. Morals are good, but Jesus said to the most moral young man he must be born again. Devotion is good, but devotion from a heart out of harmony with God is mockery. The best efforts of men fail until Christ comes to remove the obstacle in the way of Man's coming to God and to bring him into harmony with God's will and purpose.

We cannot place too much emphasis on Christ's work in delivering us from the bondage of sin, but we do often place too little emphasis on Christ as the one who alone can show us how to work out the redeemed life. I like to think of Jesus as my Saviour, giving Himself for my sins. My hard heart is broken; my ungrateful soul is over-come when I see Him on the cross dying for me. I accept the sacrifice as for me, and I take the gift of life so freely offered, but I also like to think of my human loss. I have to go with life. There are temptations to be overcome. There is character to be builded. There is a destiny to be wrought out. My soul in its better moments longs for goodness, righteousness ,truth. Jesus set the standard from the day when Pilot said I can find no fault at all in Him, until today, the most exacting critics have found not a stain upon his character, for He was more than a negative life; He was a strong man; He lived a positive life. I must be about my Father's business was His watch word. He lived, He struggled, He endured to die. He stood one day under the shadow of the cross looking back over his past life, and looking forward to his future experience He exclaimed triumphantly, I have overcome the world! In this heroic life lived amid the strife of temptation, He conquered. Men today longing for the highest and noblest life find it in Christ only. Earth's noblest men have their failing. Moses, Elijah, David and Paul were great men in their day and generation. They have left to us the bookage of noble lives, but in none of them do we find our highest ideal of life; as the morning star fades before the glory of the rising sun, so the brightest stars of human character are outshone by the glorious sun of righteousness.

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One does not have to be a pessimist to believe in the fact of human sorrow. If we could lift the veil that hides the other half of the world from our vision we would be appalled by the sight of human grief. We see something in it but not all. We hear some of the groans of despair but only a few. If we could see the hearts that are enslaved, the blighted hopes, the broken lives, we would be impressed with the need of sympathy for sorrow. Into some homes the swift and silent messenger of death has come. From them He has snatched away the little flower as it was just opening its petals to drink in the morning dew and the sunlight of life. Or by His strong hand He has smitten down the bread winner and left the mother to fight life's battle alone. We see widows in the black garment of mourning, and tear stanied cheek and sorrowful eye. We see children crying because mother has been taken away. Friends come to us in these hours of sorrow with their words of consolation, but there are times when human words are mockery; times when the door of the heart is shut. There are secrets of human grief that no human ear can hear; burdens of sorrow that no human heart can bear. As Jesus went down into the shadows of Gethsemene, and there alone bore his awful burden of anguish, so every human soul has its own Gethsemene, where alone it bears its burdens and endures its anguish. A mother who had lost her child went to a heathen priest for sympathy. He told her to go to every home in the village, and when she had found a home into which sorrow had not come to return to him and he would comfort her. Through the entire village she went visiting each home, but there was not a home in all the community over which the shadow had not fallen. She returned to the priest and told her story. Go your way, my child, and bear your burden; your lot is no harder than that of others, Poor comfort this ;how different from that which Jesus brings to the grief-stricken heart. See Him as He stands before the tomb of Lazarus and sheds tears of human sympathy with those who have been bereaved of a brother. No burden soul ever appealed to Him in faith for sympathy. As of old He brought the sweet balm of consolation to the grief-stricken, so today He brings the sorrowing soul the sympathy of His own compassionate heart.

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The question asked by Job; if a man dies shall he live again, is the question which has trembled on the lips of thousands from that day to this. We ask this question when we see the young man stricken down in the vigor of youth, and we ask it when we stand beside the grave of our loved ones. We ask it when we are perplexed with the mysteries of life about us. What is the end of this life for us? When Livingston was in Africa, he asked a native, what becomes of your river? After thinking awhile in perplexity, the native said, I don't know; I suppose it flows on for a while and then it is lost in the sand of the dessert. What becomes of human life; does it flow on for a while and then it is swallowed up in the darkness of eternal night, or does it flow on and out into the ocean of God's eternal love? Where shall we seek for an answer to this question? We asked the scientist and he says it is impossible for life to come from death. We ask the materialist, and he says eat and drink, for tomorrow you die. We ask the infidel, and his unsatisfying answer is life is a narrow vale between the cold barren peaks to eternity. We strive in vain to look beyond the heights. We cry aloud, and the only answer is the echo of our bewailing cry. From the voiceless lips of th unreplying dead there comes no words, but in the night of death, hope sees a star, and listening love can bear the rustle of a wing. But this star is too dim to guide the soul seeking the assurance of eternal life, the rustle of a wing is too faint a token of life beyond the vale. Another has said, with hearts breaking, pierced with a spear of pain, smitten with the anguish of inexhortable separation, we go out into this splendid world in the Spring, when the glory of the earth's face is renewed with joy and the time for the singing of the birds has come. We walk among the flowers and look up into the silent, smiling sky, and the unfriended heart may break again. For even nature, without Christ, gives us no certain propnecy of the future life. Compare with all these uncertainties the sure and certain words of Jesus, I am come that they might have life and that they might have it abundantly; I am the resurrection and the life; He that believeth in Me shall never die. It is the voice of one having authority who speaks to the perplexed and longing soul and sure and certain words of eternal hope.

Jones Bros.' Shows will exhibit here afternoon and night, Monday, October 30th. Corner of Fourth and Castle streets.

THE WORLD'S BIGGEST TASK

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drought, frosts or flood, and the country is now entering upon the annual task of moving this enormous store to market. Physically and financially, it is the biggest job that any Nation is called upon to undertake regularly year after year.

What the moving of this vast amount of grain means in railroad transportation may be faintly suggested by the fact that a solid line of freight cars extending across the continent and doubling back from New York to Chicago would be required to hold the grain shipped into these ten cities last year. When the flood is at its height the congestion of trains on the "granger" roads leading from the grain country to such centers as Chicago, Minneapolis and Duluth is something to drive the operating force of the railways to insanity. Every imaginable device is resorted to in the effort to obtain cars. The railroad steal them from one another ruthlessly; they are hauled off rusty sidings where they have been left to decay or are patched hastily together in repair shops. A few seasons ago it was reported that every siding for ten miles from Duluth was blocked with grain freights waiting to be unloaded. If all the cotton were to move to market at one time it would require a line of steamboats extending from Memphis to New Orleans to carry it.

At the primary markets most of the grain goes into huge elevators, many of them with a capacity of a million bushels or more. The storage room in the 14 cities of the country from which the largest grain shipments are made is a quarter billion bushels, or something less than the amount of wheat alone received at the primary markets in 1907.

From the central shippings points the grain still rolls eastward to the Atlantic and southward to the Gulf. In huge vessels, passing down the Great Lakes, and by every line of rail it travels to the Atlantic and Gulf ports, where the portion demanded by Europe is transferred to ocean steamers for the final stage of its journey and that required for domestic consumption is distributed among mills and warehouses. Cotton moves more largely by water, much of it going direct to New York or to Europe from the various ports of the Gulf and South Atlantic to which it is gathered from all over the 12 cotton growing States of the country.

To move the vast yield of America's acres on which the country's prosperity chiefly depends a corresponding movement of currency takes place. When the local dealer buys the farmer's wheat or cotton he is called upon to pay for it in full or in part. To make his payments he must have money. He goes to the local bank and the bank makes a loan to a certain proportion of the value of his holdings. There may be a score of dealers, all of whom want loans at the same time. At other seasons the bank cannot find use for all its funds locally, so it sends a part of them to eastern cities to be put out at interest there. When harvest time comes around these eastern funds are recalled. Banks all over the grain and cotton country are calling for money. If their deposits in the financial centers are not sufficient for their needs they in turn become borrowers, putting up as security the paper of their customers. This is the demand that calls for the use of two hundred million dollars in the South and West every Fall. Its effect is not confined to this territory, however, for the eastern business man who goes to his bank for a loan at this season finds that he must pay higher rates for it than in the Spring and Summer. This is the financial side of the great crop movement. Every year it subjects the currency system of the United States to a serious strain and causes money to be "tight". It is one of the chief influences that inspires the demand for a more elastic currency, a system that will permit the issues of bank notes to expand as the demand for them increases.

Many business men, merchants in the cities and farmers in the rural districts, have turned their attention to this phase of our financial system, realizing that it is of genuine practical importance to them. That all classes of business men should be compelled to pay excessively high rates for money because wealth bringing products are on their way to market strikes them as a serious defect in the country's monetary system. The wealth is there, in greater volume than at any other season of the year, in form that makes it an absolutely secure foundation for credit. It cannot be converted into currency for the reason that the banks in this country can issue bank notes only against government bonds. Could such notes be issued against certain classes of commercial paper it would permit an expansion of the currency at this season that would enable the moving of the crops to be accomplished with practically no financial strain. Across the border, in Canada, where banks are allowed to increase their note issues in response to demands of this sort, the crops move to market with practically no financial disturbance at all.

In the wake of the golden flood of wheat and corn and cotton follows a flood of golden wealth. Half a billion dollars in cash and credits and receipted bills from Europe for our foodstuffs enough to pay for one-third of everything we buy abroad. Four billion dollars to the farmers of the country for their work in producing the crops. Five millions in freight earnings to the railroads from wheat shipments to the primary markets alone. Nearly twenty million dollars in wages for harvesting the wheat and picking the cotton of the country. Pianos and European trips for the farmer's wife and daughters; automobiles and a college education for the farmer's sons. More work in making shoes and clothes and a thousand manufactured articles for the workmen of the industrial cities. When the farmer walks down the village street with the proceeds of his crop in his pocket he stops in at the local stores, pays up back bills and orders new supplies. Within a few weeks he has put a good part of his receipts into circulation through various channels. The money seeps back into the local bank which soon finds its cash on hand rising steadily again and once more forwards its surplus funds to the financial centers where it is set to work for the manufacturer, the builder of railroads and developer of real estate and all the various enterprises of industry and trade. Thus the cycle of prosperity repeats itself from year to year, receiving fresh impetus when the broad acres of the South and West yield up their harvests, certain to continue while the crops hold good.

ALL SOUTH CONFERENCE.

Some of the Points Brought Out Recently at Memphis.

The All South Conference, held in Memphis, October 9th, brought out clearly the following points:

1st—That the newspapers of the whole United States are at present unconsciously advertising the South as historically interesting. This is through the articles on "Fifty Years Ago Today."

2nd—That the attractions of the South in history, romance and climate should be utilized in the semi-centennial years of 1911 to 1915 as a means of inducing travel through the South on the part of those who have leisure to travel, to stop off and to investigate.

3rd—That a union of railroad and hotel forces in inducing travel through the South is not confronted by the necessity of arousing interest in travel by itself, but only in arousing interest in the route to be traveled.

4th—That the normal travel into Southern California from east of the Rockies approximates 300.000 a year, of whom about one in twenty goes through the Southern States.

5th—That the tide of Pacific Coast travel is strongest in Winter, when if those traveling should go through the South they would be in sunshine and moderate weather the entire journey instead of traveling through snow and ice for four days on the Northern route, as is now frequently the case.

6th—The completion of the Panama Canal in July, 1913, means immense national interest in it at the time of completion and the Southern Commercial Congress, acting for New Orleans, will spend $45,000 between now and the Fall of 1913, in arousing interest in excursions across the South to the Canal. This move on the part of the Southern Commercial Congress and the fact that San Diego will have an exposition in 1915, indicated that by these two means the South, and the railroads of the South, can benefit by Canal expositions almost as fully as if the exposition had gone to New Orleans.

7th—It was decided that the Southern Commercial Congress should immediately approach all railroads and hotels at interest in the matter and offer its services in the preparation of what might be styled as a "Baedeker" of the South, and that this guide book should contain, in listed form, the historic and other interesting points of all the unusual cities of the South; that it should also contain routes of travel either in crossing the South to touch the greater number of historic points, or in crossing the South to reach the Pacific Coast, the Southern Commercial Congress to act as the gatherer of material and distributor of same.

DRAINAGE DISTRICT IN DUPLIN.

Promoters to Drain the Muddy Creek Section Near Rose Hill.

(From the Duplin Enterprise.)

The greatest natural resources of this county now undeveloped, are her vast acres of rich swamp, carefully estimated to be 109,824 acres, which is 20 per cent. of the entire area of the county. Vast as are the possibilities of these lands if drained, their potentialities still lie dormant and are of no value to our people. Practically worthless now, they would easily become the most valuable asset of the county if drained and put in cultivation. Then, indeed, Duplin county would become the Egypt of the State, as these lands would easily produce on an average of 60 bushels of corn per acre without fertilizers, which would amount to the enormous crop yield per year for the entire county of 6,589,440 bushels. This would bread the whole State and give each one of the population nearly four bushels of corn a year. These possibilities are great, the harvest is wonderful, and our people call for volunteers from among her sons to undertake, promote and bring to a complete and full realization these resources of the county.

Already such promoters as Geo. Parker, O. W. Quinn, H. S. Thomas and others have undertaken and have perfected a "State Drainage District" for Muddy Creek, out nine miles from Rose Hill in Cypress Creek township. The drainage canal will be ten miles long and cost $16,000, and the work will be done by steam dredges. The promoters are among the most successful men of the county, and, for this reason alone, the scheme is a success, and the plan will drain 2,000 acres of the richest lands in the world.

Along with these come the promoters for the drainage of Maxwell Swamp, out four miles east of Rose Hill. This district is headed by such men as Joseph Rouse, J. H. Carr, A. P. Rockley, J. O. Carr and others of equal determination and ability. The plan has been looked into by Civil Engineer E. McN. Carr as well as by United States government engineers, and it has been pronounced entirely feasible, even more so than any drainage scheme in the State. The drainage canal here will open up about 2,500 acres, equally as rich as the lands of the Muddy Creek district.

Who will undertake he drainage of Goshen, Rockfish, Limestone and all the other large swamps of the county?

The upper air in this part of the country is undoubtedly a freakish commodity. The Southern Power Company is making fertilizer out of it just a little south of here.—Charlotte Observer.

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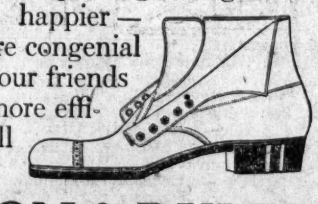

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(Special Star Correspondence.)

Chadbourn, N. C., Oct. 28.—The Columbus County Educational and Farmers' Union Rally, to be held at Chadbourn November 8th, 1911, will be the greatest thing in the history of the county. There will be the greatest display of farm products and farm machinery ever exhibited in this section of the State and the greatest aggregation of school children ever massed in this section of the State. A most imposing sight was the line of parade on a similar occasion last year, when over a thousand school children with their teachers, marched in the line of parade here last year, and it is proposed to have at least three times that number this time. Great interest is being manifested by the country people in the getting up of the different articles to be exhibited and the fact that 16 of the locals are preparing community exhibits insure a large exhibit.

It will be necessary that those who are preparing articles for exhibit have them on the ground early in the day that they may be placed and if possible, judged, before the mass of the crowd arrives, which will be by 10 o'clock. The premium list, already of considerable length, will be added to until the day of the rally. The matter of trains has not been definitely settled, but that there will be special service, especially in the evening, so that parties living some distance from the railroad and that the children may get home before the hours grows late, is assured.

In the matter of speakers, there will be present that day the best the State affords. The programme will start as near 10 o'clock as possible. A representative of the A. & M. College will be present and present, among other things, the virtues of the Farm Life school. Either Dr. H. Q. Alexander, State president of the Farmers' Union, or J. Z. Green, State organizer and lecturer, will address the farmers of the county on the Farmers' Union and the important part it is playing in the life of the farmer at the present time. Dr. Schaub, head of the Boys' Corn Club work of the State, is expected and from him the people will hear of the wonderful work that is being done throughout the State along this line. There will doubtless be other short talks from visitors, after which adjournment will be made for dinner. Those who attended last year will realize the impossibility of one community feeding such a crowd and if they are a citizen of Columbus county will bring their dinner with them, but be it remembered that visitors outside the county will find abundance awaiting them and will be welcomed to the abundance of the county.

After the dinner hour the schools of the county will assemble, as will the members of the Farmers' Union and other organizations of the county that may be so disposed, and the line of the parade will be formed. It is expected that this will be at least one mile in length. Schools and local unions are preparing floats and these together with many other features that are being prepared for this part of the programme will make a great sight. After the parade will follow the introduction of County Superintendent F. T. Wooten, of the principal educational speaker of the day and his address. The entire day will be full of the best things that can be either seen or heard and it will be a time of gathering of great ideas, not only by the farmers of the county and the county's business men, but of visitors who have not as yet realized the wonderful latent possibilities in old Columbus.

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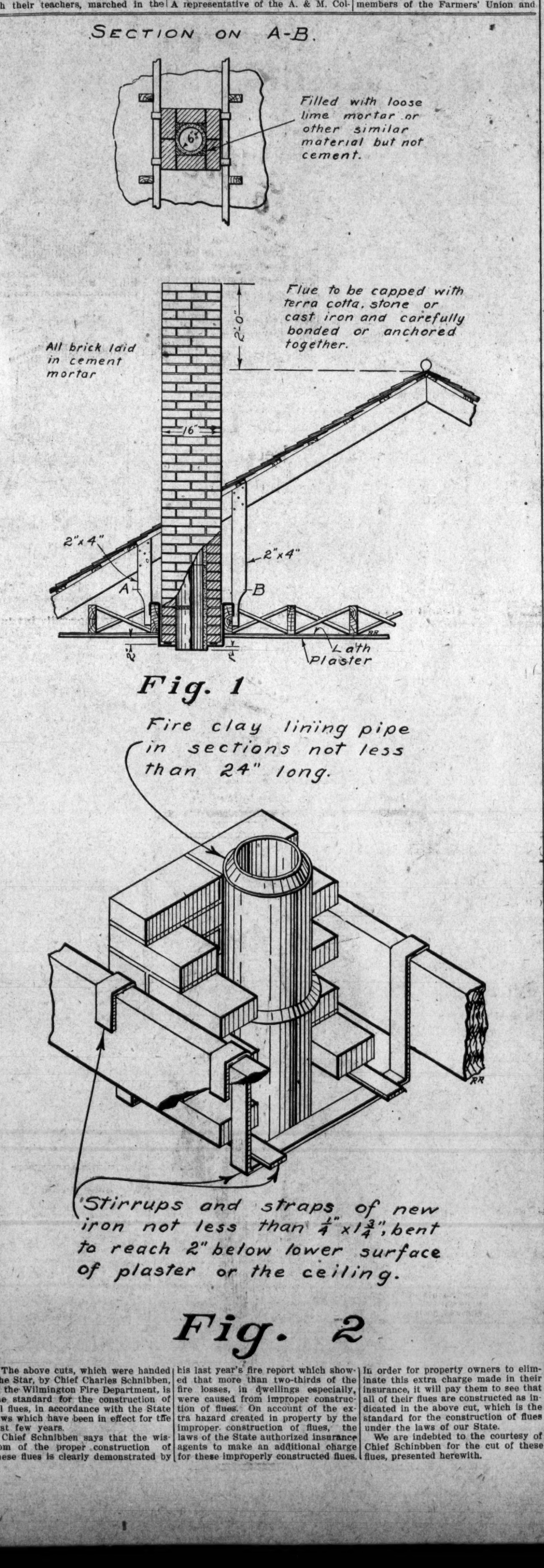
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2"x4"
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Fire clay lining pipe in sections not less than 24" long.
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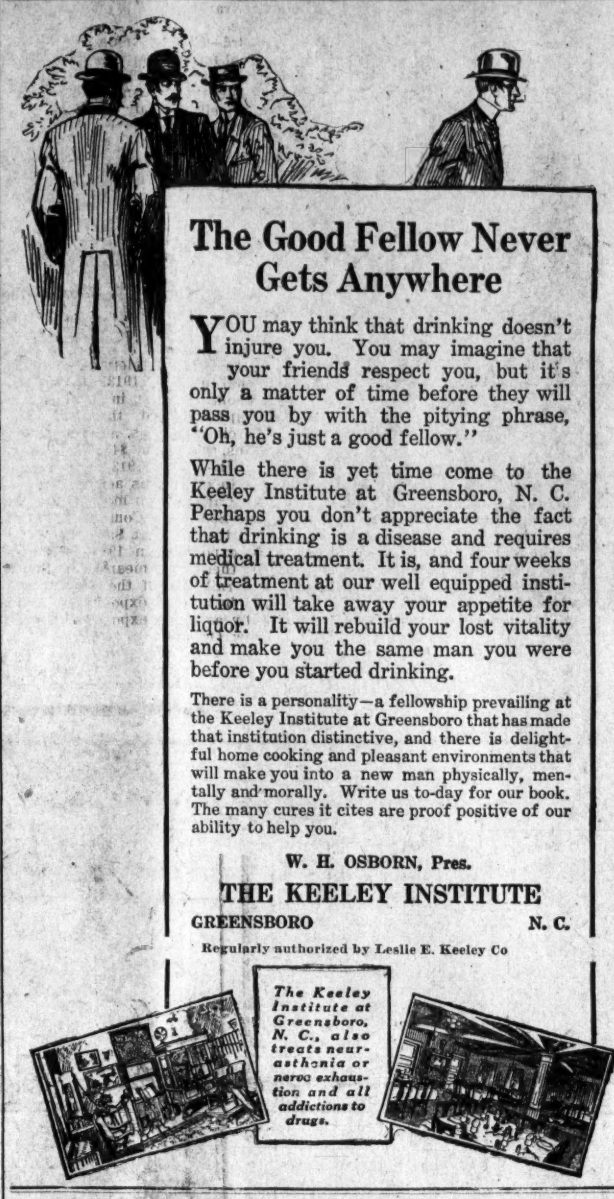

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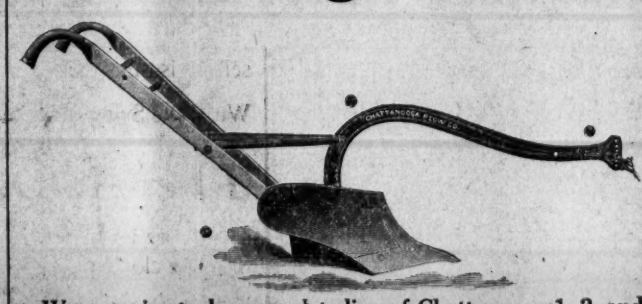

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346	Edward M. Swann	Sidewalks	32.75
347	Chas. H. White	Pay Roll	868.03
348	Jno. H. Whiteman	Hauling Brick	36.45
349	W. L. DeRosset	Drainage Contract	807.21
350	Chas. H. White	Pay Roll	2,709.35
351	Jim Rackley	Horse Hire	5.00
352	L. Tindal	Horse Hire	21.00
353	Jackson & Bell	Printing	68.00
354	A. C. L.	Freights	63.27
355	Cape Fear Chem. Co	Disinfectants	71.00
356	Southern Clay Mfg. Co.	Brick	781.26
357	Evening Dispatch	Printing	29.50
358	L. Tindal	Hire of Team	20.50
359	Jno. H. Whiteman	Hauling Brick	84.75
360	Chas. H. White	Pay Roll	841.45
361	Furlong & Co.	Hauling Slops	418.00
362	Jim Rackley	Hire of Team	7.75
363	A. C. L.	Freights	167.62
364	T. W. Callihan	Horse	150.00
365	A. D. O'Brien	Sixth St. Bridge	1,917.36
366	W. C. Curtis & M. F. Allen	Auditing Books	30.00
367	Chas. H. White	Sundry Items	37.01
368	Jno. H. Whiteman	Hauling Brick	84.37
369	Chas. H. White	Pay Roll	785.09
370	Chas. H. White	Pay Roll	5,533.03
371	Wilmington Star Co.	Advertising	11.88
372	Chamber of Commerce	Advertising	30.00
373	James Walker Mem. Hospital	Appropriation for Sept.	500.00
374	Jos. Honhorst & Co.	Tar Wagon	248.00
375	S. A. L.	Freights	1,317.11
376	Geo. H. Holmes	Repairs to Market	2.15
377	Wilmington Sewer Co.	Sewer Service	6.99
378	Jacob Haas	Supplies, W. & S. Dept.	50.00
379	Southern Pvg. & Cons. Co.	Street Paving	3,499.53
380	J. T. Runge	Repairs, T. W.	2.00
381	Western Union Tel. Co.	Telegrams	6.96
382	J. W. Blake	Electrical Work	2.70
383	R. C. Cantwell	Sundries	44.63
384	P. T. Dicksey, Jr.	Supplies, W. & S. Dept.	10.00
385	Valvoline Oil Co.	Supplies, W. & S. Dept.	39.75
386	J. L. Mott Iron Works	Supplies, W. & S. Dept.	48.00
387	H. Mueller Mfg. Co.	Supplies, W. & S. Dept.	92.85
388	G. J. Badger	Supplies, W. & S. Dept.	22.83
389	Hayes Mfg. Co.	Supplies, W. & S. Dept.	37.62
390	LeGwin Printing Co.	Printing	47.50
391	Cape Fear Machine Works	Supplies, W. & S. Dept.	32.40
392	Jarman & Mintz	Drugs	34.37
393	B. F. Mitchell Co.	Feed for Teams	261.66
394	Wilmington Iron Works	Repairs to Bridge, &c.	79.80
395	Jno. S. McEachern Sons	Feed for Teams	160.53
396	Springer Coal Co.	Coal, W. & S. Dept.	836.86
397	J. T. Brown	Repairs to Carts, &c.	93.10
398	City Livery Co.	Harness, &c.	37.30
399	Thos. Quinlivan & Son	Shoeing Teams	61.00
400	R. C. DeRosset	Stationery	9.25
401	Cantwell Lumber Co.	Lumber	13.60
402	Southern Bell Telephone Co.	'Phone Service	44.80
403	Central Ice Co.	Ice	28.13
404	Hyman Supply Co.	Supplies, W. & S. Dept.	102.56
405	W. B. Thorpe & Co.	Lime and Cement	17.42
406	Alfred White	Laying Brick	82.55
407	Chas. H. White	Pay Roll	759.78
408	T. B. Carroll	Veterinary Services	7.00
409	D. Quinlivan	Shoeing Teams	37.75
410	B. F. Brittain	Notary Services	10.00
411	H. R. Worthington	Payment on Pump	5,647.14
412	F. A. Lord	Supplies, W. & S. Dept.	4.51
413	Camp Mfg. Co.	Supplies, W. & S. Dept.	1.74
414	Standard Supply Co.	Supplies, W & S. Dept.	242.01
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416	Prease Bros Co.	Tin Work	90.33
417	L. A. Bilbro	Harness	43.95
418	Schloss, Bear, Davis & Co.	Wagons and Team Hire	150.00
419	H. E. Longley	Plumbing	1.25
420	City Laundry Co.	Rent of Warehouse	25.00
421	Cape Fear Oil Co.	Oil	11.44
422	D. L. T. Capps	Plumbing	2.89
423	Wilmington Stamp Co.	Printing and Tags	8.15
424	C. W. Yates & Co.	Books, &c.	52.36
425	Wilmington Sewerage Co.	Service	33.00
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428	Tidewater Power Co.	Lighting	1,520.68
429	Pomona Terra Cotta Co.	Terra Cotta Pipe	2,079.37
430	Orrell Livery Co.	Hire of Teams	4.00
431	National Enameling & Stpg Co.	Covers	83.38
432	Postal Telegraph Co.	Telegrams	2.64
433	Cadbourn Lumber Co.	Lumber and Boxes	266.89
434	Chas. H. Schnibben	Expenses to Convention	100.00
435	J. W. Murchison & Co.	Plows	6.00
436	M. W. Divine & Co.	Paints and Oils	242.35
437	W. L. DeRosset	Pipe Contract	1,411.84
438	Southern Clay Mfg. Co.	Brick	2,316.20
439	A. C. L.	Freights	169.21
440	S. A. L.	Freights	707.64
	Total for Month		$ 39,573.79
	Previously Reported		116,375.96
	Total to Date		$155,949.75

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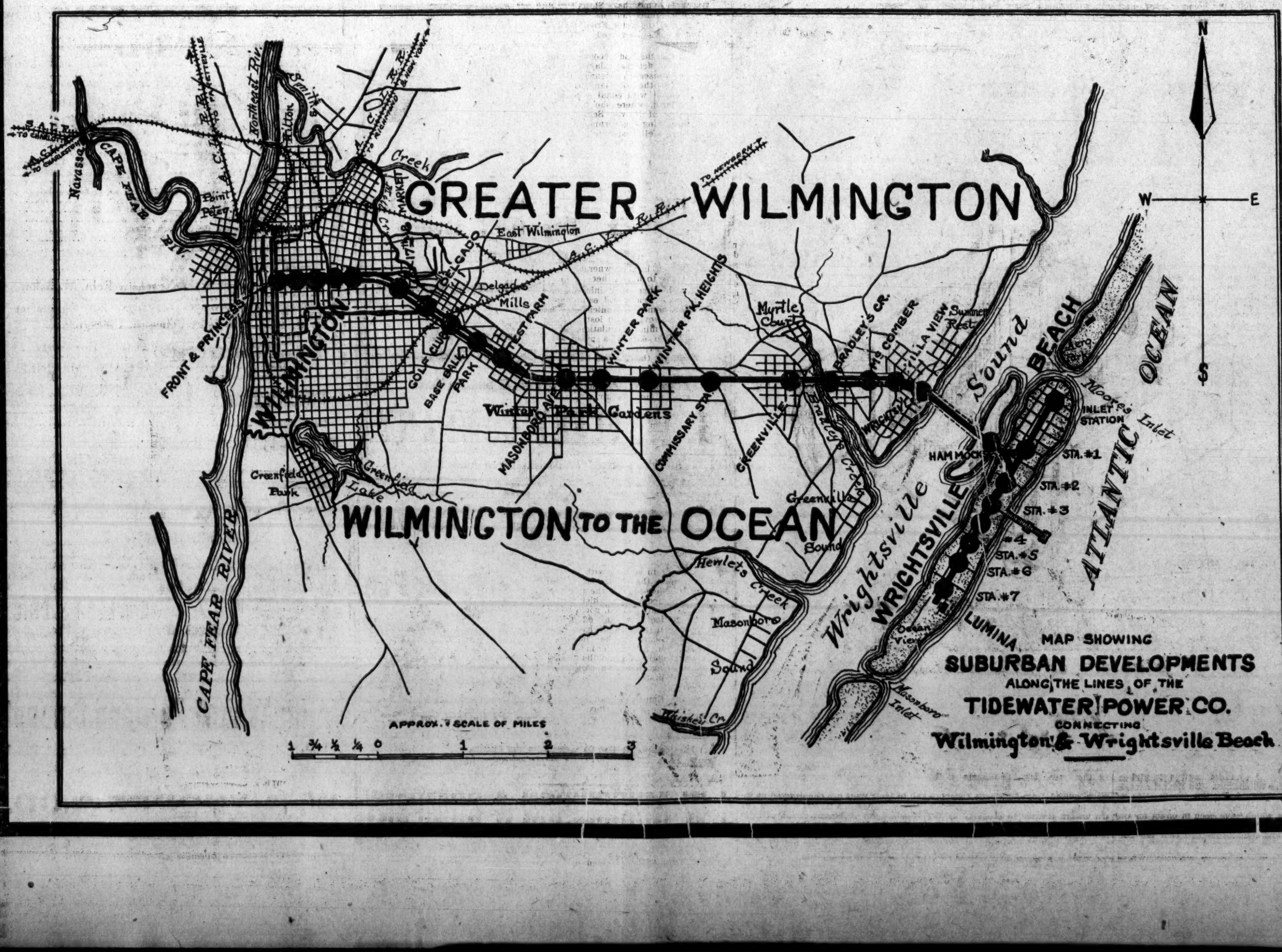

THEATRICAL

Wednesday Night—"The Country Boy."

Thursday Night — U. S. Marine Band.

Saturday, Matinee and Night—"Beverly of Graustark."

With the above menu the Academy will this week tickle the palate of Wilmington theatre-goers. Each attraction will be found an especially fine relish, and will, no doubt, be hugely enjoyed by huge audiences. In "The Country Boy" amusement lovers will find a superb attraction. While possessing a name that many may associate with the mediocre country plays that frequent the road, yet it is nothing of the kind, but is one of the best dramatic offerings ever made. It was a big New York success, and will be given a New York production at the Academy Wednesday night.

In "Beverly of Graustark," will be found an especially popular attraction, and the ladies in particular will hail the announcement of a matinee with much pleasure. "Beverly" is the sequel of "Graustark," which recently played a return engagement at the Academy.

"The Country Boy" Wednesday Night

The story of "The Country Boy," Edgar Selwyn's realistic comedy, which Henry B. Harris will present at the Academy Wednesday night, is of a youth who goes to New York to win fame and fortune. His lack of success at home he attributes to the limitations of a small town. There he has a charming home, a good mother and a sensible sweetheart, all of which he leaves behind. In the big city he is caught up in the maelstrom of a busy world and loses sight of the charm of his long-time sweetheart and the stimulus to his ambition by attaching himself to a chorus girl who only delights in his admiration and cares nothing for him at all. He wastes his time and money on her, neglects his work and at last reaches the point where he loses his position. He endeavors to find another place but fails and out of money and out of hope he feels himself absolutely defeated and without hope. He is about to make away with himself when he is caught in the firm grip of a man who while he, too, has struggled and seemingly failed still has clung to his optimism and the chance that things are to turn right at last even though he is much older than the youth. This friend labors with the boy and at last convinces him that the right thing to do is to return to his home and make another try of it among the people whom he knows and who will help him. In company with his friend he returns to his old home and they make a winning fight. He succeeds at last and not only wins the material success which he so fruitlessly sought in the big city, but the girl of his youth who had always retained her love for him.

The play teems with character studies not only of the big city but of the smaller towns whose sons and daughters go to the making of these cities. Among the people whom Mr. Selwyn reveals are many typical habitues of "the Great White Way," whom Mr. Selwyn had plenty of opportunity to study at first hand when he was himself a struggling actor. Included in the excellent company which Mr. Harris has organized to appear here are Grace Campbell, Wilfred Lytell, William Morran, Rosamond Carpentier, William Levis, Marie Pert, Mart E. Mann and others.

'Beverly of Graustark."

Perhaps the company appearing in Geo. Barr McCutcheon's "Beverly" at the Academy of Music next Saturday contains the names of more prominent players than have appeared here with any other attraction this season. Dorothy Redding who plays Beverly Calhoun, although a very young girl, has played leading roles with Nat Goodwin and the lead with Cyril Scott in "The Prince Chap," and only recently returned from a starring engagement in Austrlia under the management of J. C. Williamson, the Charles Frohman of the Antipodes, Lawrence Evart, who plays Prince Dantan, was for six years leading man with Walker Whiteside, and has also successfully starred in romantic drama. Edith Berwyn, who plays Princess Yetive, has enacted leading roles with many high-class organizations, including David Belasco's "Sweet Kitty Bellairs," and poetic drama, "The Road to Yesterday." Davison Clark, who plays General Marlanx, has been in the support of nearly all the prominent dramatic stars, and has a tremendous following on the Pacific coast, where he is noted for his portrayal of character heavies. Hazel Harroun is a former member of Annie Russell's company and also appeared in Mrs. Fiske's "Tess of the D'Urbervilles." Lillian de Vere, who plays Aunt Fanny, Beverly's old colored servant, for several seasons played Martha in Morrison's "Faust" and created the negro mammy in "Cumberland 61." Chas. J. Perley, who plays Colonel Quinnox, is a former member of Mr. Belasco's companies; and each and everyone of the other members of the large company have played important parts with leading Broadway attractions. As this company has been especially organized for a New York engagement at a leading high-priced theatre there is no doubt as to the sterling merit of the cast and the elegance of the production.

The New "Bohemian Girl."

Containing exquisite lyric gems, including the fine old airs "Then You'll Remember Me," "I Dreamt I Dwelt in Marble Halls," and "The Heart Bowed Down," combined with a full grand opera performance and a stage spectacle of great magnitude and novel up-to-date features, figure in an elaborate revival of the Paris version of Balfe's greatest lyric drama, "The Bohemian Girl," which is to be presented at the Academy of Music in the near future.

The big production is said enlists an ensemble of 100 artists, with solo cast, chorus, corps de ballet and orchestra of grand opera strength, and introduced in the highly spectacular features of the work are a troupe of real Tzgani or Gypsy acrobats, troubadours, dancing girls, fortune tellers, a cavalcade of horses and seven sixty-foot carloads of gorgeous and massive scenery.

Marine Band Thursday Night.

The United States Marine Band, which comes to the Academy Thursday night, is considered by all critics to be the greatest military and concert band in the world. Organized way back in 1801, this great band is now in the one hundred and tenth year of its existence, and is almost as old as the National capital itself. When the city of Washington was a toddling infant, just born on the banks of the majestic Potomac, this band, then in reality but a fife and drum corps, was its chief plaything and means of diversion. This is why the National capital has always been so proud of its Marine Band. They have grown up from infancy together, and if today there is no other capital in the world which equals Washington, there is likewise no other government band in the world that equals Uncle Sam's "pet" musical organization.

For more than one hundred years every inaugural procession that has left the great dome-capped Capitol escorting the Nation's new Chief Executive down Pennsylvania avenue to the White House has marched to the martial music of the Marine Band. At every inaugural ball, at every State banquet, at every Presidential reception, in fact, on all fete days when Uncle Sam turns host and invites his own fellow citizens or the representatives of other Nations to be his guests, he relies very largely upon the red-coated members of the Marine Band to add to the merriment and happiness of the occasion.

But all days are not "fete days." It may be said as truly of the Nation, as of the individual, that

"Into each life some rain must fall,
Some days be dark and dreary."

and there have been dark and dreary days, indeed, for our Nation when not with triumphal march, but with funeral dirge, and muffled drum and muted horn, the Marine Band has led the solemn procession as our "Martyred Presidents," Lincoln, Garfield and McKinley, have been borne to their final resting places.

On account of the fact that the contract for the band could not be made until Friday, the band not having an open date up to that time, a special concession has been made in the prices. All seats downstairs and the first two rows upstairs are to be sold for $1, instead of $1.50, as is usually the case. In fact, the $1.50 price will only apply to the box seats.

Sothern and Marlowe Coming.

E. H. Sothern and Julia Marlowe will appear here in their Shakespearean repertoire at the Academy of Music Wednesday, February 21st. The order of the plays to be given has not yet been arranged. Their repertoire for this season will comprise seven of Shakespeare's plays, and those which have proved the most popular with the playgoing public. They are: Macbeth, Hamlet, Romeo and Juliet, The Merchant of Venice, Twelfth Night, Taming of the Shrew, and As You Like It. In these plays Mr. Sothern will appear as Macbeth, Hamlet, Romeo, Shylock, Malvono, Petruchio and Jacques, which Miss Marlowe will impersonate Lady Macbeth, Ophelia, Juliet, Portia, Viola, Katharina and Rosalind. Beyond the splendid manner in which the plays are presented, what has popularized the Sothern and Marlowe company with the public is the fact that the scale of prices is never in advance of what is usually charged for first class attractions. Considering the great expense incurred by Sothern and Marlowe in presenting so many plays in so fine a manner, it would not be considered unfair should the prices be placed at a higher figure. All the important players who appeared with Sothern and Marlowe last year will be seen with them again this season.

At The Grand.

The Grand will offer today three big films of motion pictures and an illustrated character song by Nat Hilt. There is no need of announcing the films, they will be all high-class and entertaining. They come direct from the film house, fresh and produced here for the first time. Hilt may be depended upon to serve us something classy and interesting.

At the Bijou.

In spite of the inclement weather of yesterday the Bijou had a good week-end, and those who attended this popular amusement place certainly left the drear spirit behind, because all was warm and cozy in the Bijou, and a big bill of brightness was presented. It acted as a fine foil for the weather so far as feeling went. The Bijou will start off the new week tomorrow afternoon, as usual, and the present week holds some choice things in the moving picture line for the folks of Wilmington. Each day this week the Bijou will present a giant bill, consisting of all that is late and best in the film line, and each performance will indeed be a rare treat. The inauguration of the new week tomorrow will be a big and glorious one, and amusement lovers should not miss it.

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(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 28.—Ross French, the Indian sentenced in Swain county to be electrocuted for the murder of Miss Ethel Shuler, early in October, near Birdtown, was brought here from Asheville, and committed to a death cell today to await electrocution November 24th. He will be the first Indian to die in the electric chair in this State. He is 21 years old.

Is the World Growing Better?

Many things go to prove that it is. The way thousands are trying to help others is proof. Among them is Mrs. W. W. Gould, of Pittsfield, N. H. Finding good health by taking Electric Bitters, she now advises other sufferers, everywhere, to take them. "For years I suffered with stomach and kidney trouble," she writes. "Every medicine I used failed till I took Electric Bitters. But this great remedy helped me wonderfully." They'll help any woman. They're the best tonic and finest liver and kidney remedy that's made. Try them. You'll see. 50c at R. R. Bellamy's.

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GOSSIP OF FOREIGN CAPITALS

Double Tragedy Being Discussed in Berlin—Prince Haled to Court—More Powerful Torpedoes—Copenhagen Notes.

(By The Associated Press.)

Berlin, October 28.—The newspapers are just now reciting the story of the suicide of the woman for whose sake the famous Socialist leader, Lasalle, lost his life in a duel—a woman well remembered by former visitors of the German theatres in New York.

The story of her life is full of tragic interest.

Helene von Doenniges was the daughter of a Prussian diplomatist, von Doenniges, who represented the Prussian Government at the court of Munich in the sixties. At the age of eighteen she was engaged to Prince von Racowitza, a young Rumanian. Before the marriage, however, she met Lassalle at a reception in Berlin, and the two immediately became infatuated with each other. Helene, who was not deeply attached to the Rumanian, at once proposed that they elope and flee to France, since it was quite out of the question that her parents would consent to her marrying the Socialist leader.

Lassalle, however, determined to win her in the usual German way and went to her parents, who rejected his offer with scorn. He said a hasty farewell to the girl whom he was never to see again, and soon sent a challenge to von Racowitza. The duel was fought in a wood near Geneva, and Lassalle fell. Shortly after this, Helene married the Prince, but he died within a few months. She then resumed her studies for the stage, and soon married the actor Friedman, but the union was dissolved after five years.

Meanwhile, she had become a highly successful actress, playing to enthusiastic houses in Vienna, Berlin, Dresden and other German cities. Later she played with equal success in St. Petersburg, where she made the acquaintance of M. von Schewitch, a lawyer occupying a government office, who at once fell desperately in love with her. The couple went to England and finally to New York, where the greater part of their married life was spent. Von Schewitch was an editor and she continued her theatrical career. About ten years ago the couple returned to Germany and settled in Munich. The Czar had confiscated the Russian estate of von Schewitch because of his desertion of his post with the government, or, according to some accounts, because he was a Nihilist. Upon his return to Europe he was reinstated in the ownership, but sold his lands to his brother.

The couple thus came into possession of ample wealth and established an elegant home in Munich. Von Schewitch, however, soon lost his fortune in gold mine speculation, after which the two earned a precarious livelihood by writing for the newspapers. Recently the husband died, and the widow, who had been practically an invalid for some years, now herself alone in the world and confronted with starvation. In her despair, she took poison.

The Emperor's third son, Prince August Wilhelm of Prussia, and his chauffeur were this week brought before a Berlin magistrate and fined $3.75 and costs for exceeding the speed limit in a Berlin street.

Fortunately for the Prince's personal dignity, his chauffeur was at the wheel when a traffic policeman timed the car and took its number, or, at any rate, the chauffeur assumed the responsibility in court, and the fine was assessed against the employe, though paid by his royal employer.

Prince August Wilhelm, the legal scion of the Hohenzollerns, may have more difficulty in settling with his father than with the courts, since the Emperor, displeased with the number of automobile accidents in which members of his family figured, some time ago gave notice that an offending prince (or princess) might have the machine confiscated. The Imperial sons, and even a daughter-in-law or two, enthusiastic automobilists, are fond of steering their own cars, and quite human in their desire to make good speed.

Before the Emperor's mandate was made known the crown prince, crown princess and her sister-in-law, Prince August Wilhelm and Prince Joachim had all figured in accidents. Prince August Wilhelm later met with a mishap near Berlin, but his adjutant, by personal appeal at the offices of the Berlin papers and the principal foreign correspondents, succeeded in keeping the accident from His Majesty's eyes. Whether he will be equally successful with the court records is to be seen.

Much more powerful torpedoes are in future to be used by the German fleet. After extensive experiments the Navy Department has decided to increase their calibre by two inches, to 20 inches. The torpedoes hitherto in use had a calibre of only 18 inches, and they were made of steel. In this respect also a great change is to be made, the experimenting officers having come to the conclusion that bronze is more serviceable. The speed has also been augmented, so that it now attains an average of 34 sea miles. The weapon will contain an exploding charge of over 200 pounds, as against about 190 in the older weapons. The weight will be about 1,200 pounds, as compared with just below 1,100 pounds.

The Bavarian institute for the study of cancer and its possible cure, which counts among its supporting members 350,000 Bavarians and has for its president Prince Ludwig Ferdinand of Bavaria, is endeavoring to bring about a world-wide co-operation in fighting the cancer scourge. Special importance is attached by the leaders of the society to co-operation with America and the scientific institutions in the United States, which are now studying the question.

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Copenhagen, Oct. 28.—It is reported here that two American engineers are investigating the recently discovered deposits of coal on Sudero Island of the Faroe group. It has been estimated that there are about fifty million tons of coal in the deposits.

Some time ago a French company obtained the right to exploit the mines, but subsequently failed and abandoned the plan.

It is believed that the American engineers are working for an American mining company which is seeking the rights forfeited by the French concern. In the western part of Suderoe excellent copper mines have been discovered.

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A serious disagreement between the Minister of War and several army officers has resulted in the resignation of General Leschly and General Hansen, two of the chief officers of the general staff.

The question was a vital one of Denmark's defense, and arose over the proposal of the war minister to transfer troops from Aarhus to Fredericia in Jutland. The generals contended that this move would be dangerous in case of war.

The war minister declared that the action of the officers was in opposition to the King, who had ordered the movement, and the officers replied that they were surprised that the minister should have brought the King into the dispute, as they considered the holder of the war portifolio alone responsible for the proposed transfer.

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An American steamer from Spitsbergen, the last boat to get through this season, has arrived at Tromsoe, Norway, with the news that the wireless telegraph station at Spitsbergen is completed and ready for use. The report states that the machinery is working excellently and that the station expects to be able to communicate with England and Germany.

This will be easy when the sister station of Ingoe in Northern Norway is completed about the middle of November. Meanwhile Spitsbergen will direct its efforts toward getting into direct communication with the continent.

THE WILSON OUTLOOK.

Raleigh Man Who Has Traveled, Brings Good News.

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 24.—The Raleigh News and Observer prints the following:

"Mr. J. H. Cutler, of Washington City, who has many friends in North Carolina, made during his connection with the organization and development of the street car companies in Asheville and Raleigh, is in the city visiting his old friends. He has recently returned from New England and the Middle West, where he spent the Summer, and his friends in North Carolina and other places will be glad to see that he grows younger as he grows old. Asked as to what the people of New England and the North were talking about concerning the Presidential election next year, Mr. Cutler said:

"'You know I am not in politics. While I like to keep posted as to what is going on it is not my mission to look at matters from a standpoint of the politician, and I gather my views from intercourses with friends and business men with whom I travel. If I were asked as to what I thought was the true policy of the Democratic party, if it wishes to win in the next election, it would be to nominate Woodrow Wilson as candidate for the Presidency. I do not wish in any way to state what I would like the Democratic party to do, but that seems to be the true course which would lead to success. I have heard a great many Republicans state, who have never voted a Democratic ticket, if Taft is nominated on the Republican ticket and the Democrats nominate Wilson they will without a doubt vote for Wilson. In other words, it is the Republican insurgent vote which the Democrats stand a good show of securing with Wilson as their nominee, provided Mr. Taft should be nominated by the Republicans.

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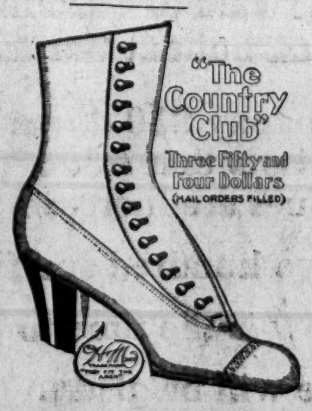

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